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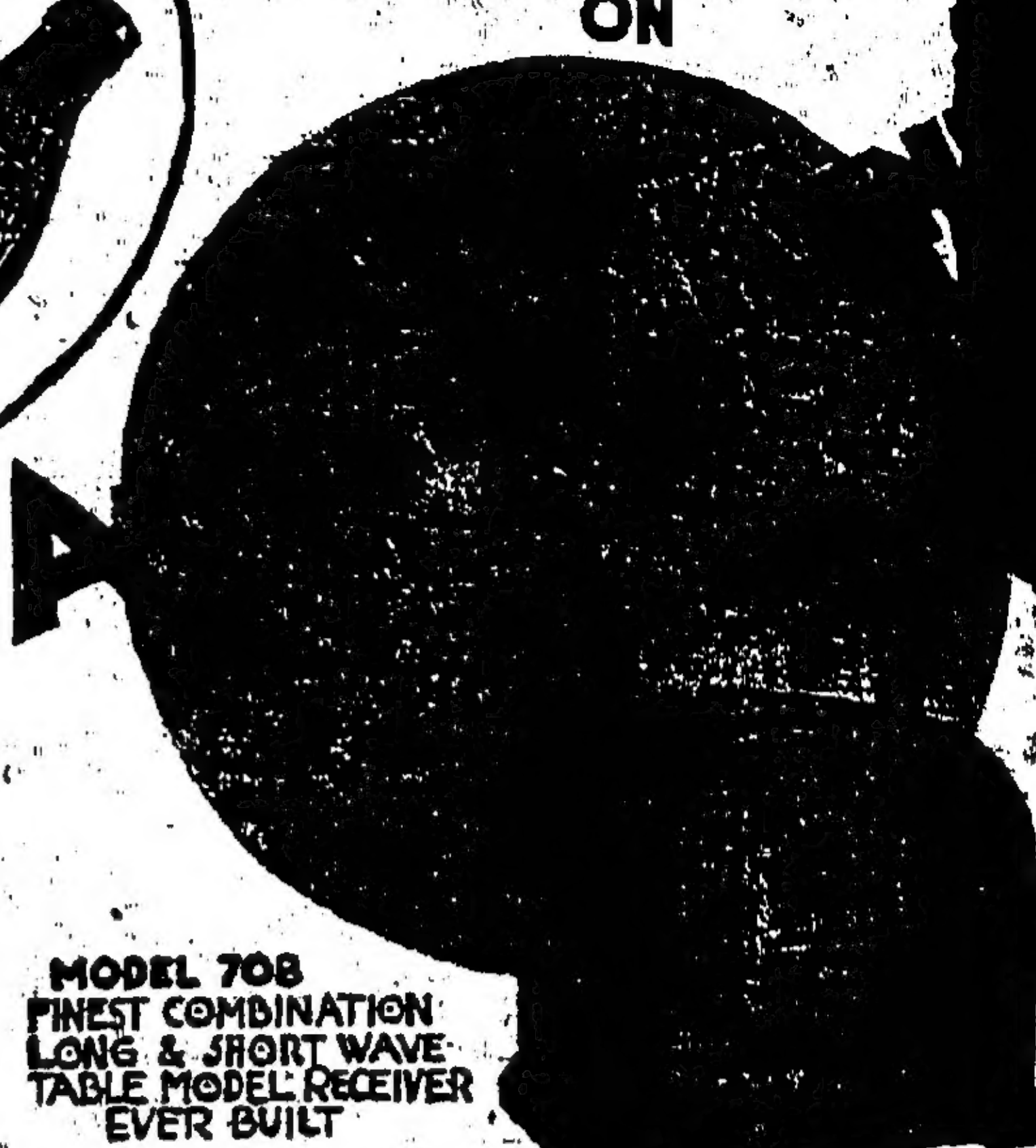
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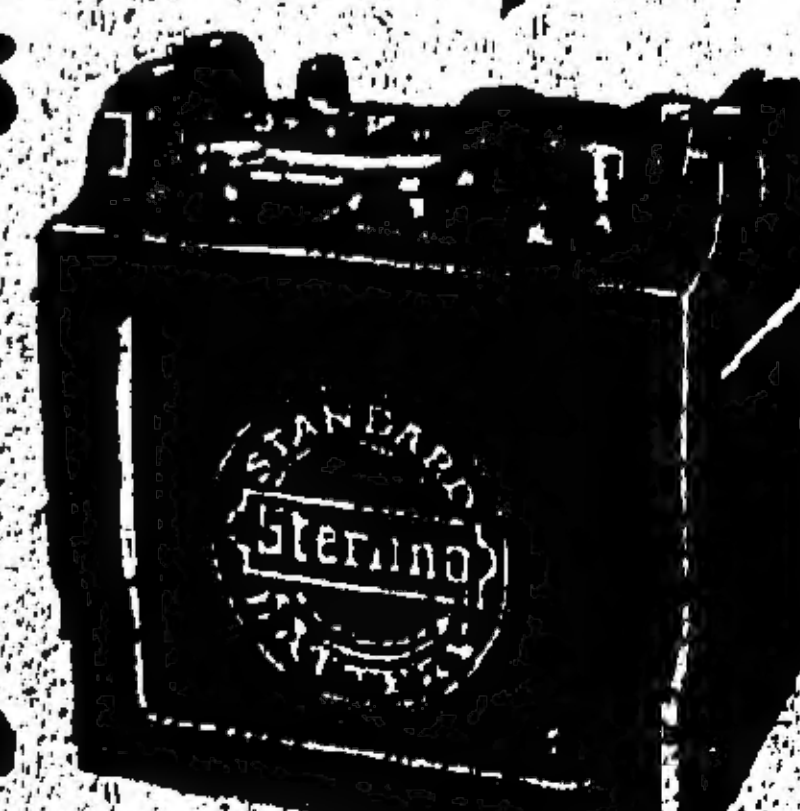


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Saturday's Home Football matches resulted in Manchester City jumping to first place in the premier Division of the English League, when they visited Middlesbrough and won by the odd goal in three, in what was described as a very evenly contested game. Aston Villa delighted their supporters when they beat Preston and amongst the winning teams were Chelsea and Portsmouth.

The results, as cabled by Reuter, together with the League tables brought up to date are as under.

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	5	Birmingham	1
Aston Villa	4	Preston	2
Blackburn	0	Stoke	1
Chelsea	2	Grimsby	1
Derby	2	Tottenham	1
Leeds	2	Huddersfield	0
Leicester	0	Sunderland	2
Liverpool	3	W. Bromwich	2
Middlesbrough	1	Man'ter. C.	2
Portsmouth	2	Wednesday	1
Wolves	4	Everton	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Aberdeen	1	Airdrie	3
Albion	2	Celtic	1
Clyde	2	Dundee	2
Hamilton	4	St. Mirren	0
Hearts	5	Ayr	1
Kilmarnock	2	Partick	0
Queen's Pk.	1	Dunfermline	0
Queen O'S.	1	Falkirk	1
Rangers	4	Hibernians	2
St. Johnstone	2	Motherwell	1

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley	4	Oldham	0
Blackpool	1	Bradford	0
Bradford C.	1	Southampton	0
Bury	2	Fulham	1
Derby	2	Brentford	1
Hull C.	3	Swansea	1
Manchester U.	2	Norwich	0
Newcastle	3	Notts F.	5
Port Vale	3	Burnley	1
Sheff. U.	6	Bolton	2
West Ham	2	Plymouth	1

FIRST DIVISION

Manchester C.	8	6	1	20	9	18
Sunderland	8	5	1	2	7	12
Preston	8	5	2	1	18	11
Arsenal	8	4	1	3	25	11
Everton	8	4	2	2	16	14
Stoke	8	3	2	0	19	10
Derby	8	4	3	1	18	10
Aston Villa	8	4	3	1	15	20
Portsmouth	8	3	2	3	10	12
Birmingham	8	4	4	0	9	14
Grimsby	8	3	3	2	16	16
Liverpool	8	4	4	0	12	16
West Bromwich	8	2	3	8	15	7
Leeds	8	2	3	1	18	19
Leicester	8	2	4	2	16	14
Tottenham	8	2	4	2	9	10
Blackburn	8	2	4	2	7	12
Wolves	8	2	4	2	16	16
Middlesbrough	8	1	4	3	9	12
Chelsea	8	2	6	0	8	18
Huddersfield	8	1	6	1	6	21

SECOND DIVISION

Bolton	8	7	1	0	24	8	14
Brentford	8	5	1	2	20	11	12
Burnley	8	5	2	1	17	7	11
Port Vale	8	4	1	3	16	9	11
Blackpool	8	4	2	2	18	13	9
Barnsley	8	4	2	2	18	13	9
Fulham	8	3	3	2	13	10	8
Notts F.	8	3	2	2	14	10	8
Bury	8	4	4	0	8	13	8
West Ham	8	4	4	0	14	10	8
Manchester U.	8	4	4	0	19	14	8
Sheff. U.	8	3	3	2	17	13	8
Bradford	8	2	2	3	11	11	7
Swansea	8	2	2	3	11	12	7
Bradford C.	8	2	4	2	9	18	6
Norwich	8	2	4	2	9	18	6
Oldham	8	2	4	2	10	21	6
Southampton	8	1	3	4	8	15	6
Newcastle	8	3	5	0	15	20	6
Plymouth	8	1	4	3	18	20	6

THIRD DIVISION (South)

Charlton	8	6	1	1	17	8	18
Millwall	8	5	2	1	15	9	12
Coventry	8	5	1	2	14	4	12
Swindon	8	4	1	3	18	15	11
Brighton	8	4	2	2	15	10	10
Crystal P.	8	4	3	2	21	14	10
Reading	8	4	3	1	14	7	9
Bristol C.	8	4	3	1	9	9	9
Newport	8	4	3	1	14	13	9
Queen's P. R.	8	3	2	3	14	13	9
Aldershot	8	3	3	1	14	11	9
Cardiff	8	3	3	0	11	22	8
Torquay	8	3	4	1	16	15	7
Wadford	8	3	4	1	12	11	7
Gillingham	8	2	4	2	13	16	6
Exeter	8	2	4	2	8	9	6
Southend	8	2	5	2	13	18	6
Northampton	8	2	5	0	8	16	6
Bournemouth	8	2	5	1	7	17	6
Clapton	8	2	5	1	11	14	6
Bristol R.	8	0	4	4	7	16	4

THIRD DIVISION (North)

Chester	8	7	1	0	27	7	14
Tranmere	8	6	0	1	16	6	14
Darlington	8	5	1	1	12	6	14
Halifax	8	5	2	2	17	11	13
Wrexham	8	4	1	3	18	12	11
Stockport	8	5	2	1	22	14	11
Barrow	8	4	1	3	11	6	11
Doncaster	8	4	1	3	15	8	11
Lincoln	8	5	3	0	20	11	10
Gateshead	8	3	2	2	16	18	8
Walsall	8	3	1	1	11	14	7
Chesham	8	2	4	1	9	11	7
Southport	8	1	5	2	8	20	7
Hartlepool	8	2	5	0	14	15	6
Carlisle	8	3	5	0	8	11	6
Crewe	8	2	4	2	15	19	6
York	8	3	4	1	10	16	6
New Brighton	8	2	6	1	1	11	6
Barnsley	8	2	6	1	11	14	6
Walsall	8	1	6	3	10	15	5
Accrington	8	2	6	1	8	20	6
Bochdale	8	1	6	3	6	16	4

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Rangers	10	8	1	1	28	9	17
Clyde	10	6	0	4	14	11	16
St. Johnstone	10	7	1	2	17	9	16
Hearts	10	6	2	2	19	7	14
Motherwell	10	6	3	8	18	10	18
Dundee	10	4	2	4	15	14	12
Partick	10	9	2	2	23	14	12
Airdrie	10	5	4	1	18	20	11
Aberdeen	10	4	4	2	14	16	10
Queen's Park	10	4	4	2	14	15	10
Kilmarnock	11	5	0	0	24	21	10
Celtic	10	3	3	3	18	11	9
Hibernian	10	3	5	2	12	18	8
Queen O'South	10	3	4	3	9	12	9
Albion	10	4	5	1	14	18	9
Ayr	10	3	6	1	18	25	7
Partick	10	2	6	2	9	19	6
St. Mirren	10	2	6	2	8	20	6
Falkirk	10	1	7	2	10	21	4
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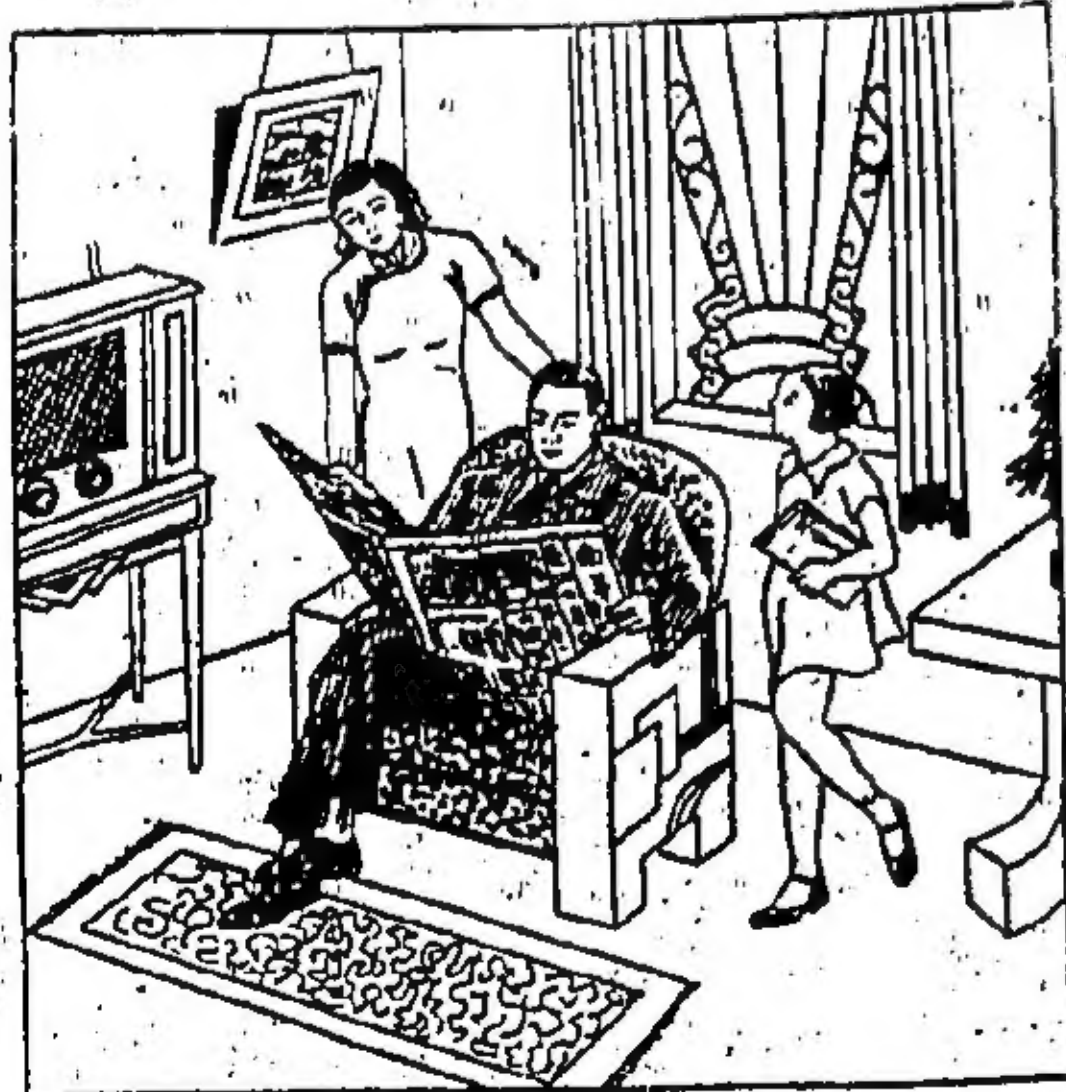
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CABLE NEWS IN BRIEF

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London, Sept. 28. In authoritative circles it is expected that the Berlin Anglo-German negotiations about the mode of settlement of accounts of current trade and a method of arranging for the liquidation of old commercial debts will last at least from ten days to a fortnight.

Sir Frederick Leith-Ross returns to London on Friday night, and whether he will resume leadership of the British delegation in Berlin is uncertain. The idea of installing a complete clearing system seems now acceptable to both sides with one fundamental difference in that, whereas the British Government want to confine the clearing to England and Germany, the Reich Government desires that the whole of the British Empire be included in the arrangements because Germany's trade balance with the Empire is positive.

The "Financial Times" report that the whole of Britain may be willing to include the Crown Colonies in the plan but the British Government has no power to compel the Dominions to come in because they are to all intents and purposes independent countries. The British Government, the papers continue, could not in this respect accept the German standpoint.

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AMNESTY RELEASES

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Berlin, Sept. 28. According to official figures published on Friday night the number of persons set free as a result of the amnesty law of August 7, 1934 were 414 thousand. In addition to this 233,832 penalties were cancelled and in 175,705 cases prosecutions were suspended.

More than 75 per cent of those set free were serving three months sentences or were ordered to pay fines not exceeding 100 marks. Those set free on political charges number to date 6,305 of whom more than half were opponents of the new régime.

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PLANE LUFTHANSA

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Berlin, Sept. 28. The German plane, Lufthansa, which took first place in the 1928 function of providing the Reich with a civil air service, carried its millionth passenger on Sept. 27. Wilhelm Sensburg, a cinema proprietor, who enjoyed the distinction of being this exceptional guest, made the journey to Berlin.

Before entering the plane in Munich he was handed a memento of the occasion and when he alighted in Berlin he was met by Wronsky, director general of the Lufthansa who handed him a document certifying the fact that he was the millionth passenger.

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FRENCH FINANCIAL POLICY

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Paris, Sept. 28. Once again the Finance Minister Germain Martin has issued a statement in defence of his finance currency economic policy, this time making the newspaper "Intransigent" as his mouthpiece. The Minister condemned every attempt at the devaluation of the franc and says that he is convinced that the foreign countries' general tendency now is to favour a stabilisation of currencies. In this respect, France having a large gold reserve, can play an important role.

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ECUADOR ENTERS LEAGUE

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Geneva, Sept. 28. At the closing meeting of the League of Nations Council on Friday, Ecuador's entry into the League was considered. Ecuador, being one of the original signa-

tories to the Treaty of Versailles had the right to belong to the League but hitherto had not made use of that privilege.

Owing to these peculiar circumstances no special procedure for the admittance is necessary. The new member will be cordially welcome, especially by the representatives of South American States.

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PLESS COMPLAINT

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Geneva, Sept. 28. A complaint has been lodged by Prince Pless with the League of Nations about the action of the Polish Government in placing the whole of the Pless estates in the hands of public administrators because of alleged arrears in taxation. The complaint was considered before the close of the present session when it was decided to postpone the decision until the next League Assembly.

Meanwhile the Polish Government has been asked not to take any action that would prejudice any measures that the League might decide to take later.

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SOVIET JOINS LABOUR OFFICE

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Moscow, Sept. 28. The Soviet Union announces that they have also become adherents to the International Labour Office, formalities having been completed on Thursday.

At the same time it is emphasized that co-operation will be subject to reservation as the Soviet Government cannot subscribe to courses of action contrary to its own fundamental principles.

Three of the leading Soviet labour experts will be delegated to collaborate with the International Labour Office.

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Berlin, Sept. 28. General Metzger, formerly of Nanking, joins the staff of "Militär Wochenblatt" as from October 1, in an editorial capacity.

The "Militär Wochenblatt" has the reputation of being the leading independent periodical of the German Army.

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Vienna, Sept. 28. Seven years hard labour was the sentence meted out to the electrician Franz Maier by the Klagenfurt Lay Court for the installation of a secret radio transmitter at Waldenstein Castle in Carinthia.

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Budapest, Sept. 28. Herr von Papen arrived here on Friday. It was officially announced that the visit is of an entirely private nature, von Papen having accepted an invitation to go hunting with the Hungarian Deputy Mecher, whom he met at the Nuremberg Congress.

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Reval, Sept. 28. The Tallinn Eesti Bank has lowered its discount rate on Merchandise Bills from 5.5 to 5 per cent as from October 1 while the Bank acceptance rate of 4.5 per cent will remain. The last change was made on January 28, 1930.

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BALLOON RACE RESULTS

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Warsaw, Sept. 28. All log-books, landing checks and barographs of participants in

ASSYRIANS IN IRAQ

Settlement In Other Lands

London, Sept. 28.

The question of the settlement outside Asia of Assyrians who may desire to leave Iraq came before the League of Nations Council. Several suggestions for their settlement have from time to time been made and for various reasons rejected. In response to a request for further proposals, possibilities of areas in British Guiana and in French West Africa were before to-day's meeting of League Council together with communications on the subject from the British and French Governments.

Reports from Geneva state that the Council decided to attempt a settlement and will investigate the suitability of areas and other questions in connection with the proposed transference of these people.

The British Government suggests that in regard to territory of some 13,000 square miles in British Guiana which might be reserved for the purpose the League's independent investigation into climate and other conditions should extend over at least three months. Agricultural potentialities of the territory it is stated have not yet been properly tested, but it is thought that, limited areas would lend themselves to cultivation and meet the requirements of Assyrian settlers and their stock.

British Wireless.

ECUADOR JOINS LEAGUE

A Regular Member

London, Sept. 28.

Council of League of Nations, having examined the application of Ecuador as a candidate for admission to the League decided to consider that the Republic from to-day as a regular member. She is entitled to membership as a signatory of the Treaty of Versailles.

Ecuador is the 60th member of the League of Nations. Her representatives were officially received this morning by the President of the Council and welcomed by representatives of other South American Republics present.

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KENYA AND UGANDA MOUNTAINS

Explorers Leave For Scientific Study

London, Sept. 28.

Dr. Edwards, Entomologist, and Dr. Taylor, Botanist of the National History Museum, Kensington, are the leaders of an expedition which left London today for exploration of mountainous districts of Kenya and Uganda for close study of their fauna and flora and it is expected investigations will result in collection of some strange insects and plants. The East African Governments are supporting the exploration work. Part of the work will be conducted on a mountain over 12,000 feet high in temperatures well below freezing point.

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The Gordon Bennett balloon race are now being received by the Warsaw Sports Commission. Careful examination of the records show that the following is the order of the awards:—

Hynek (Poland) 1331.8 kilometres;
Burzynski (Poland) 1304.5 kilometres;
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conducted by Georg Schne-
voigt.

1. Morning.
2. The Death of Ase.
3. Anitra's Dance.
4. In the Hall of the Moun-
tain King.

12-3 p.m. Variety.
Song—A Couple of fools in Love
"Give me a Ring."
Song—I Only want one Boy—
"Give me a Ring".....Margaret
Bannerman (Soprano).
Instrumental—The Blue Danube.
Instrumental—Liebestraum (Lo-
ve's Dream).....Ivory Keys
Grand Piano Orchestra.

Song—I envy the Moon.
Song—You've got me crying
again.....Charles Carlisle
(Tenor).

Piano Duet—There's a Ring
around the Moon.
Piano Duet—Nymph Errant—
Selection.....Carroll Gibbons and
John W. Green.

Instrumental—The Grasshopper
and the Ants.
Instrumental—Nasty Man.....The
Four Bright Sparks.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather
Report.

8.03-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio
Concert.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.
London 1 p.m. Stock and Com-
modity Quotations.

10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.
Rugby Mid-day Press News.
Further London Stock and
Commodity Quotations, follow-
ed by New York Opening Quota-
tions.

10.40 p.m. Close Down.
All Relays of the Hong Kong
Hotel Orchestras are by courtesy of
the Management.

8.30-10 p.m. European Recorded
Programme from Z.E.K. on a
frequency of 640 kc's.

8.30-8.55 p.m. Light Opera.
Vocal Gems—The Mikado (Gil-
bert and Sullivan).....Columbia
Light Opera Company.
Selection—Florodora (Stuart).....
The Band of H.M. Coldstream
Guards.
Vocal Gems—Les Cloches de
Corneville (Planquette).....Light
Opera Company.

8.55-9.15 p.m. Orchestral.
Rosamunde—Overture (Schubert).
Sir Hamilton Harty conduct-
ing the Halle Orchestra.
Tragic Overture, Op. 81 (Brahms).
.....The B.B.C. Symphony Or-
chestra conducted by Adrian
Boult.

9.15-9.30 p.m. Octets.
Perpetuum Mobile (Weber, arr.
Crooks).
Valse Caprice (Rubinstein, arr.
Crooks).....J. H. Squire Celeste
Octet.
Scene de Ballet (de Beriot, arr.
Sear).....J. H. Squire Celeste
Octet.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins;
London 1 p.m. Stock and Com-
modity Quotations.

9.35-10 p.m. Albert Sandler and
his Orchestra.

1. A Little Love, A Little Kiss
(Sillescu).
2. Because (d'Hardelot).
3. Le Chaland Qui Passe
(Bido).
4. Love's Last Word (Cre-
mieux).
5. Black Eyes—Russian Im-
pression (Ferrario).
6. Kibbi Song (Johansson).
7. The Song is you—Music
in the Air (Kern).
11 p.m. Close Down.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMME

7 p.m. Time Signal from Big Ben.
The Midland Studio Orches-
tra, from a Birmingham stu-

"THE THEN MAN"
At The Queen's

"The Thin Man" with William
Powell and Myrna Loy in the lead-
ing roles and which opened its run
at the Queen's Theatre yesterday,
is one of the most unusual mystery
films we have ever seen on the lo-
cal screen.

The story is that of a man be-
ing suspected of murder and later
proved to be innocent, and the
way in which the actual murderer
is found out is both thrilling and
surprising. In fact the audience
is kept guessing until the very last
minute.

Brought to life upon the screen,
"The Thin Man" is said to be
even more gripping than the book.
William Powell, the motion pic-
ture screen's outstanding detective
character, plays the all-important
role of Nick Charles, the ex-de-
tective who is dragged into the
triple-murder investigation against
his will. Myrna Loy, in the co-
starring role, appears as his char-
ming wife, Nora. Maureen O'Sul-
livan portrays "The Thin Man's"
loyal daughter and supplies a
young and beautiful romance with
young Henry Wadsworth, a new
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer player and
a youth of much promise. Pat
Pendleton varies from his usual
gangster and dumb underworld
character roles to play the part of
a bewildered detective Lieutenant.
Minna Gombel also deviates from
her usual comedy roles to give one
of her best performances a heavy
one, of the scheming Mimi, the
former wife of the thin man. Por-
ter Hall, noted Broadway stage
player, who scored his most re-
cent success in the stage produc-
tion of "The Dark Tower" makes
his debut before the motion pic-
ture camera as Maccaulay, Wyn-
ant's attorney. William Henry re-
cieves his baptism as a full-fledged
screen actor, in the difficult role
of Gilbert, the neurotic son. Henry
only recently graduated from the
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer dramatic
school and his portrayal in "The
Thin Man" is his first.

THE REUNION

Of Two Popular
Stars

Always a popular team with
cinema fans on the world over,
Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell
are together again in "Change of
Hearts" which is being shown at
the King's Theatre and which,
since its opening on Saturday, has
drawn crowded houses to the popu-
lar "Kings."

The new vehicle, which, incident-
ally, marks the first Gaynor and
Farrell in a year and a
half, presents the petite star as a
college graduate who goes forth
from the halls of learning to face
a depression-torn world. "With
calm philosophy and a microscopic
bankroll she sets bravely about the
task of making good in the hostile
atmosphere of a city where she
finds her university degree "with
highest honours" of little use.

This role, calling as it does for
a maturity and womanliness
heretofore foreign to her portra-
yals, is acclaimed by film fans.
James Dunn and Ginger Rogers
have the principal supporting roles
in the picture, with Beryl Mercer,
Gustav Von Seyffertitz, Irene
Franklin among favorites in im-
portant parts. John Blystone
directed the picture, taken from
Kathleen Norris' novel, "Manhat-
tan Love Song".

BERLIN PROGRAMME

9 p.m. Dja Announcement (Ger-
man, English).
German Folk Song
Programme-Forecast (German,
English).
9.15 p.m. The Werner Doekhorn
Wind Quartet.
9.45 p.m. News Bulletin (English).
10 p.m. Popular Orchestra Con-
cert.
10.45 p.m. Guardians of German
Race! Thought.
11.00 p.m. A Short Musical Pro-
gramme.
11.15 p.m. News Bulletin (Ger-
man).
11.30 p.m. Scenes from Schiller's
Drama
"Wilhelm Tell".
12.15 p.m. News Bulletin (English).
12.40 p.m. Dja close down (Ger-
man, English).

HAPPY THOUGH
ROBBED

New Method Used
By Thieves

Ladislav Fodor, author of "Je-
wel Robbery," by Warner Bros.
starring William Powell and Kay
Francis, is nothing if not original
and consistent. In creating the
robber character played by Powell,
Fodor made sure that everything
the robber did would be in
thorough keeping with his suave,
gentlemanly method of operation.
Take the matter of quieting his
victims after he has robbed them
and insuring against their rais-
ing and out cry before he, the mas-
ter robber, could make his get-
away.

Most thieves reveal the funda-
mental brutality of their nature
and the coarseness of their tech-
nique by the manner in which
they dispose of their victims, be-
fore or after robbing them. They
truss them up or gag them in an
unnecessarily painful manner. If
they show any resistance, they
knock them out with a blackjack
or a lead pipe. Now and then a
high-strung, over-nervous robber
has been known to wound and
even kill, in a moment of pardon-
able excitement.

At what he deems the proper
moment—usually after his victims
have been relieved of their valu-
ables—he offers them a cigarette.
They may be in no mood for smok-
ing, but a second, and warmer in-
vitation from their host, backed
by an eloquent revolver, and they
light up.

As they cautiously take their
first puff, the robber's charming
tones are heard reassuring them:
"My specialty. A pleasant harm-
less smoke."

They look at one another, in-
credulously, suspiciously. The rob-
ber continues:
"Two puffs and you'll be hearing
soft music—the world will begin to
revolve pleasantly."

And presently it happens. The
world suddenly takes on the aspect
of a huge joke. The smokers be-
gin to laugh, the more they laugh,
the funnier everything becomes,
especially the situation at
which they were horrified
a moment before. And in a few
more seconds they are gone into
some far-off land of dreams.

And The Robber makes his exit.

THE SHARE
MARKET

Harriman's Weekly
Report

September 29.
Mr. G. A. Harriman's weekly
share report and market review
issued at noon states:—

Quiet conditions again prevailed
on our share market during the
week under review with trading on
a moderate scale. There were a
few spasms of activity but invest-
ment issues were generally easier
with Telephones (old) done at \$23-
30 for October Settlement. Wharves
were quiet at \$10 1/2 and Dairy
Farms steady at \$24.00. H.K. Lands
remained unchanged with enquiries
at \$50, Star Ferries at \$7 1/2, and
Hongkong Trams at \$20. Hongkong
Electric improved slightly, being
in demand at \$71. Minor issues
were a shade firmer. Hotels chang-
ed hands at \$54/50, China Lights
old at \$8.50, and Cements at
\$23/40. Providents (old) showed
strength with buyers at \$1.50. Ewos,
however, took a slide and were sold
down to \$810.00 for October ac-
count closing with sellers at this
figure. In the sterling section,
Hongkong Banks were put through
during the first part of the week in
small parcels at \$1 7/25 and Unions
at \$534/5 but both stocks were
neglected at the close. Philippine
mining shares ruled much easier
with Antamoks on offer at 59 cts.,
Bague Gold at 45 cts, and Gold
Rivers at 23 cts. The tone of the
market at the close is active on the
decline in Ewos, but dull in other
sections.

Business during the week has
been done at the following prices:—
Hongkong Banks \$1 7/25
Unions \$534/50
Bank of East Asia \$53
Big Wedge 11 cts.
Canton 12 1/2 cts.
Benguet Explorations 18 cts.
Canton Insurance \$285.
Hotels \$54/50
Ewos \$810.30

LAMMERTS AUCTIONS

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CONTRACTOR

TERMS:—As to Terms.

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CANTON SILK
MARKET

The Kwangtung Raw Silk Test-
ing Bureau, Department of Recon-
struction, Canton, China.

Canton Quotations
September 29.

Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$430N.
Small Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K.
\$365N.

Crack N.S. 14/16 H.K. \$300N.
Extra Extra 20/22 H.K. \$280N.
Waste U.S. Open H.K. \$50N.

Yokohama Quotations.
September 29.

Spot Yen 495
Bourse six months Yen 498

New York Quotations
September 28.

December 1 1/4 1 1/4
February 1 1/4 1 1/4
April 1 1/4 1 1/4

New York Quotations are ob-
tained through Courtesy of Ameri-
can Oriental Finance Corpora-
tion.

BERLIN SHARES

Berlin, Sept. 29.

Gelsenkirchen Min-
ing Co. 62.75 63.
German Dye Trusts 142. 144.125

Hamburg. Amerika
Line 25.375 25.825

Harpener Mining
Co. 105. 106.50

Mannesmann
Roehren 74.75 77.875

North German
Lloyd 28.75 28.25

Reichsbank 146. 148.25

Rheinisch West-
phalen 104.50 106.50

Siemenshalske 145.25 149.375

United Steel Works 41.25 41.25

Young Loan 93.75 93.375

Yokohama Kwa Min.

Yamaguchi Ferries \$21 1/2

Hongkong Electric \$71 1/2

Telephones (old) \$23.65/23.80

Hongkong Trams \$20.10/20

China Lights (old) \$54.50

Cements \$24.00

BETTY COMPSON IN SHANGHAI

Famous Actress To Appear at Cathay Theatre

Shanghai, Sept. 25. Figures of legend, surrounded by the glamour of experienced publicity, kept from the world through the mere fact that their only communication is through the cinema—this is the part which the vast majority of motion picture players are forced to play. For very many this may be a great advantage, but there are those who suffer from it. One of these is Miss Betty Compson, who arrived in Shanghai yesterday in the S.S. Shanghai Maru.

Yesterday was a trying day for her, with all the many who made demands on her good nature and generosity, from the merely curious to avid news seekers. She met them all with a charm, and an unaffectedness that brought the realization that here was one of the cinema's great who remained as interesting and attractive in real life as she ever was on the screen.

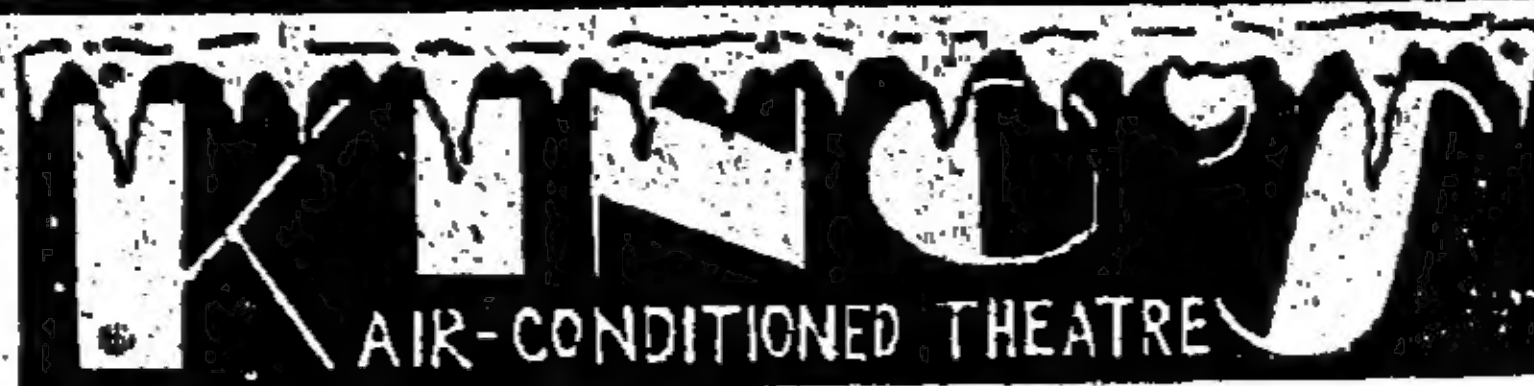
Miss Compson saw Shanghai first under the worst disadvantage of an early morning arrival, and

yet displayed an eagerness to learn of this part of the world, and an almost wide-eyed desire to see everything, that would do credit to anyone. It is her first trip to the Orient and it has been made possible through a holiday she is taking following the termination of her latest Hollywood contract.

The trip, begins here, but will continue to Hong Kong, Manila, possibly Singapore, with a return to Japan. While here, Miss Compson will make a fortnight of personal appearances at the Cathay Theatre. To those with memories of personal appearances at home, it should be pointed out that it is Miss Compson's intention to present a full show. She will be assisted by Cowan and Bailey, well-known vaudeville artists in the United States. These personal appearances will begin on Thursday evening, and will continue, under present plans, until October 9 or 10.

It is Miss Compson's intention to leave Shanghai on October 13, to proceed to Hong Kong, though her return here is more than possible at a later date. She is accompanied by her husband, Mr. Wenberg, who is her manager, and who has been in Shanghai for some weeks preparing for the present tour.

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HONG KONG

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QUEEN'S:—

"The Thin Man"

ORIENTAL:—

"Mystery Of Mr. X"

KOWLOON

ALHAMBRA:—

"Jewel Robbery"

MAJESTIC:—

"Beloved"

Coming

KING'S:—

"Where Sinners Meet"

"Murder at the Vanities"

GALLANT FIGHT FOR LIFE

Rescued In Nick Of Time

Singapore, Sept. 27. We, the undersigned beg to thank publicly the timely assistance rendered to us on Sept. 17, by Captain H. Agterhof and his mate C. D. Caalen of S.S. General Verspyck of K.P.M. when our sampan on the way to Pengkalen was capsized by a big wave. If it had not been for their presence and assistance we would have been drowned.

Sd. ANG KIN LING.

Sd. NG CHOY SIANG.

Behind this announcement in a local newspaper yesterday there lies the story of a gallant fight for life by two local Chinese.

Ang Kin Ling, a middle-aged Chinese who lives in Boat Quay, Singapore, and owns a kelong (fishing stake) in Johore, left Singapore with Ng Choy Siang in a Chinese junk one morning last week. Their destination was a port in Johore.

All went well for the first day, but early the next morning a sudden storm sprang up. The sea grew rougher every minute and soon the junk was in difficulties. The two occupants, tough seamen though they were, fought against overwhelming odds. The little craft was tossed about like a cork. First the mast broke and finally she capsized under the impact of a huge wave.

LOST CONSCIOUSNESS

Both sailors were thrown into the water. Ang Kin Ling could swim but Ng Choy Siang could not. So at once Ang went to his rescue and after much effort managed to place him on top of the capsized junk. Then came the most difficult job of all—to keep Ng Choy Siang, who had by now lost con-

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slutness from slipping off the junk

Ferocious waves continued to beat against the junk and at any moment the unconscious Ng Choy Siang might have been swept into the sea never to be seen again. But Ang held on to him tenaciously.

After about two hours the storm abated. An hour later Ang saw the funeral of a ship in the distance. As she drew nearer he noticed she was travelling very slowly. Although well nigh exhausted and on the verge of collapse he summoned all his remaining strength and shouted and waved frantically. Imagine his relief when the ship was seen to alter her course and come in his direction.

Twenty minutes later the two men were picked up by the K.P.M. steamer General Verspyck.

Saved by an Accident

"Now, when I come to think of it, I can hardly believe how we managed to save ourselves until the storm abated," said Ang Kin Ling.

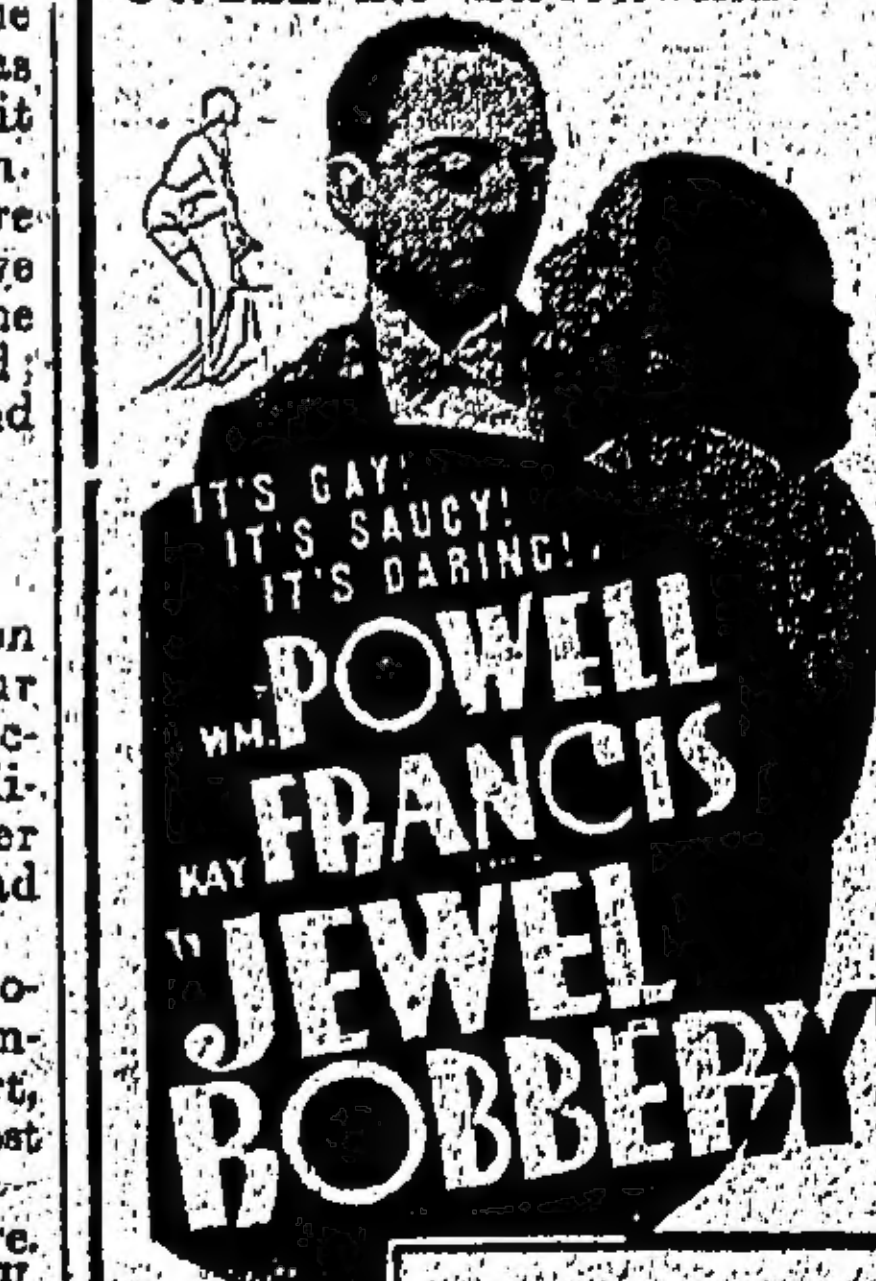
"Believe me, I never thought I would ever sit on this chair again while I was trying to keep my friend from drowning. After we got on board the Dutch ship we found that we had been saved by a mere accident. Something had gone wrong with one of the engines and the ship was proceeding so slowly that an officer on duty with a telescope managed to spot me.

Had this not been the case our fate would have been sealed. As it was, I was, on the verge of collapse and I doubt I should have been able to hold on for more than another hour at the very most.

"I wish to take this opportunity of again thanking the captain and officers of the Dutch ship, not only for coming to our rescue but for the great kindness with which they treated us until we were landed in Singapore."

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EXTRA ADDED COMEDY FEATURE LAUREL & HARDY IN "BUSY BODIES"

JOHN BOLES

In "Child Of Manhattan"

John Boles, whose name instantly leaps to mind whenever the great musical films are mentioned, has the leading role opposite Nancy Carroll in "Child of Manhattan." Columbia's thrilling story of love in a ten-cent-a-dance palace, which comes to the Alhambra Theatre on Wednesday. But it is an entirely new role that Boles will present to his admirers in the picture, which was directed by Eddie Buzzell. Instead of appearing as a very young man, the popular player will be seen as the wealthy son of a Knickerbocker family, a sophisticated about thirty-seven years, whose romance with the beautiful, naive little taxi-dancer, Miss Carroll, forms one of the most dramatic

DUBLIN NEWSPAPER STRIKE ENDS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Dublin, Sept. 29. For the first time after nine weeks the citizens will be able to read their morning papers as from Tuesday next, the strike of printers and compositors of the dailies having been settled on Friday. Transocean Kuo Min.

yet fascinating love stories to appear on the screen for many, many months.

In addition to Miss Carroll and Boles, the supporting cast of "Child of Manhattan," consists of Clara Blandick, Gary Owen, Jane Darwell, Tyler Brooke, Nat Pendleton, Jessie Ralph, Betty Kendall, Lu's Alberni and Betty Grable. The story was adapted to the screen by Gertrude Purcell from the Broadway stage success of the same title by Preston Sturges.

GERMANY'S TRADE ISOLATION

Every Import Brought Under Control

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Sept. 12. The economic isolation of Germany which began six months ago with a temporary ban on imports of raw materials for the textile industry was further emphasised by the new plans of Dr. Schacht, Minister of Economics, announced yesterday. They will surround Germany with still higher barriers to imports.

By the institution of ten new control offices and four special Reich offices for agricultural products—making twenty-five control offices in all—not a single commodity remains the import of which into Germany is uncontrolled.

As foreshadowed by Dr. Schacht in his Leipzig speech last month, only German importers who have currency certificates will be able to guarantee payment in foreign currency. Firms abroad who conduct business with other importers will trade at their own risk.

Dr. Sarnow, chief of the Trade Department in the Ministry of Economics, said to-day that there is no possibility of their receiving payment "in any measurable space of time." Imports without authorisation are not, however, forbidden.

The number of officials to be employed in the new control offices is not mentioned, but must run into several thousands.

In order that even the smallest transaction shall not pass the officials' mesh the goods which may come in free of restriction have been reduced from 50 marks—about 24 to 10 marks (16s.).

From Sept. 24 onwards the control offices will relieve the foreign currency offices at present existing of the task of issuing certificates to importers. The central German office for foreign currency control will be the final authority in this field. All certificates hitherto issued will lose their validity.

Currency Certificates

The daily share out of foreign exchange, based on the amount immediately available—a procedure which has been most unpopular in the German business world on account of its uncertainty—is also to cease. Two forms of currency certificates are to be issued:

(1) Authorisation for the immediate payment for the imported commodity;

(2) A form of promissory note pledging a later payment.

The number of certificates to be granted by the control offices will be fixed from time to time by the Minister of Economics and the Minister of Agriculture and Food Supplies after consultation with the Reichsbank authorities.

So long as Dr. Schacht, the president of the Reichsbank, continues to act as Minister of Economics the procedure is likely to be much simplified and accelerated.

Even if the payment for imports is to be made in Reichsmarks, certificates will also be required. It is emphasised that when they are granted Germany's treaty obligations to foreign countries will be fully taken into account.

The first requirements to be met in every case will be those of manufacturing firms requiring raw materials for re-export in a finished form.

Dr. Sarnow's statement, in announcing Dr. Schacht's plans, concluded with the announcement that everything would be done to encourage still further reciprocal trade with foreign countries.

The special licence required for this type of business will, from Sept. 24, be granted by the control office, and steps will be taken to accelerate their issue.

The control office for base metals has issued an order forbidding the unnecessary use of pure tin imported from abroad, where an alloy would be equally serviceable. From one smelted in Germany an alloy containing only 54 per cent tin can be obtained.

A Cook Would Know That

Chief Petty Officer: "The enemy are as thick as peas. What shall we do?"
Officer of the Day: "Shell 'em, shell 'em!"

HOW PERRY WON

Rally After Ankle Injury

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Sept. 12. The finalists in the American lawn tennis championship, which will be decided to-morrow are F. J. Perry (Great Britain), the holder, and Wilmer Allison, of America.

In to-day's semi-final, Perry beat the South African, V. G. Kirby, by 6-2, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2, and Allison unexpectedly defeated Sidney Wood (U.S.) by 6-3, 6-2, 6-3.

Playing smoothly and quietly from the back of the court, Perry took the first set from Kirby without undue pressure. Kirby, as against F. X. Shields, started nervously, and in the opening service game conceded several game points by double-faults.

This lack of adequate resistance reduced Perry's concentration but he had not to wait long before his hands were full. Perry had changed his steel-pointed shoes for rubber soles at the opening of the second set. It seemed unwise in view of the court's moist surface, especially outside the lines where the grass had been unprotected by tarpaulin, and was still recovering slowly from a recent deluge.

The change of footing was to have an important bearing on the set which Kirby—his confidence now firm and his shots all improved in length and strength—took at 6-2. Rubber soles did not give Perry firm enough stance for quick-turning movements; his game appreciably slowed down and, correspondingly, Kirby's quickened.

Shout Of Pain

When the score was 20—all in the eighth game, Perry, rushing sideways to recover an elusive drive, slipped and spreadeagled on the turf. A shout of pain came from his lips, and his racket flew out of his hand. He pulled himself up slowly and hobbled to the side, where Kirby was waiting to assist him.

One thought immediately of his wrenched ankle in his Paris match against De Stefani, for it was the same foot. But the stoppage was only momentary, and Perry quickly assured Kirby that no serious damage had been done.

Yet when they resumed, the champion netted balls to give Kirby the set. His mind, was obviously diverted. The serenity, so to speak, had gone from his soul. He was conscious of real danger ahead.

Yet sending Frank Wilde for a bandage in case he needed it, and concentrating afresh, he began to pile up games in the third set—as many as five in a row. Kirby was still fighting hard, waiting for his fortune to change, and he had had luck with many of his side-line drives.

Kirby Quickens His Pace

The gallery had settled down to long rallies when Kirby suddenly quickened his pace and opened a strong offensive on an opponent who saw love-set ripe for plucking. The champion appeared to be taken by surprise, and still moving rather gingerly, as if conscious of more ankle trouble, he began to drop points ominously.

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Around the Courts

POOR BOX ENRICHED

A fine of \$30 or one month's hard labour was imposed on two Chinese named Cheung Pui and Kwong Kow, who were brought before Mr. Macfarlane at the Central Police Court on charges of keeping a fan tap den in the Central Market early last Saturday.

Several other people, who were gambling there when the place was raided, were each fined \$3. A sum of \$330, which was picked up during the raid, was ordered to be placed in the Poor Box.

OPIMUM DIVAN KEEPER FINED

A Chinese named Leung Ng, aged 35 years, appeared before Mr. Hamilton at the Central Police Court on Saturday morning, charged with keeping an opium divan and unlawful possession of ten taels of prepared opium.

The prosecuting officer stated that the accused was the principal tenant of No. 55 Des Voeux Road Central, 2nd floor, and the opium was found hidden in his room. The accused pleaded guilty and a fine of \$1,200 or in default nine months' hard labour was imposed.

RETURNED BANISHEE

Before Mr. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy on Saturday morning, a Chinese named Leung Po, a returned banishee, pleaded guilty to a charge of returning to the Colony, before his term of banishment had expired.

It was stated by the Police that the accused was banished from the Colony in 1931 for a period of ten years, but on Friday night, the accused was seen and recognized by a Chinese detective, who arrested him in Queen's Road West.

When questioned, the accused told the Court that he returned to the Colony to ask his friends for some money.

A sentence of one year's hard labour was passed.

The nuisance of self-appointed porters who wait their opportunity to carry baggage at the Star Ferry Pier and the Railway Station, Kowloon, was commented upon by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones, at Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday, when he sentenced five coolies to three weeks' hard labour each, with options of fines of \$15.

"You come down here to make a living but annoy passengers by snatching at their luggage," remarked His Worship.

NO PASSPORTS

Mr. Singh and Bichitar Singh who have already been sent to the house of Detention pending their return to Singapore on a charge of stowing away on board the s.s. Cape St. Francis on September 24, were further charged before Mr. Wynne Jones at Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday with being in the Colony without passports.

The first defendant stated that he had had a passport many years ago but had since lost it.

When sentence of two weeks' imprisonment prior to their being expelled was passed, Mr. Singh immediately asked for the option of a fine.

Mr. Wynne Jones: "If I fine you that will take all your money. No I think the best thing is for you to save your money."

S. I. Rozeksky (who prosecuted): "I think that would be best as they would not be allowed to wander round the Colony without passports."

BOYS SCOUTS AQUATICS

Two New Records By Cubs Established

The annual swimming sports of the Hong Kong Boys Scouts Association was held on Saturday afternoon at the Victoria Recreation Club before a very large gathering of spectators, when the 1st. Kowloon, St. Andrew's Troop carried off the grand aggregate Inter-Troop Competition for the Bird Challenge Cup by recording 18 points.

Two new records were established in the Cub races, R. Sanchez of the 2nd Hong Kong Troop covering the 25 Yards in the Senior Cubs sprint in 13.35 secs to break the old record of A. McCubbin, established in 1924.

The other record was made in the Wolf Cub Inter-Pack Relay when the 2nd Hong Kong Pack broke the old record made by the 6th Talkoo Pack in 1924 by 4.35 secs.

The Diving in all three divisions was very good and particularly that of N. Lee the winner of the Senior Scouts Championship who has the makings of a Colony Champion.

THE RESULTS

Results follow:—
25 yards free style (Junior Cubs):—
1. L. Osmund (2nd H.K.)
2. R. Thompson (12th K.)
Time: 20.15 secs.

25 yards free style (Senior Cubs):—
1. R. Sanchez (2nd H.K.)
2. G. Azevedo (2nd H.K.)
Time: 13.35 secs (Record)

50 yards back stroke (Junior Scouts):—
1. Cheuk Hing Wo (15th H.K.)
2. Yee Wing Jing (1st Sea Scouts)
Time: 43.25 secs.

Life Saving Race:—
1. H. Millington (1st K.)
2. R. Wilson (1st Sea Scouts)
3. J. Wynyard (1st K.)
Time: 53.15 secs.

100 yards Inter-Pack relay (Cubs):—
1. 2nd Hong Kong
2. 4th Hong Kong
Time: 79.35 secs (Record)

50 yards free style championship (Senior Scouts):—
1. M. Lee (2nd H.K.)
2. J. Dudley (6th K.)
3. A. Azado (2nd H.K.)
Time: 29.35 secs.

50 yards championship (Junior Scouts):—
1. D. Morris (4th K.)
2. Yee Wing Jing (1st Sea Scouts)

3. F. Thompson (4th K.)
Time: 39.15 secs.

Diving:—
1. N. Lee (5th K.)
2. V. Gunson (1st K.)
3. G. Arnold (1st K.)

Junior Scouts:—
1. F. Thompson (4th K.)
2. F. Jarrett (5th K.)
3. Yee Wing Jing (1st Sea Scouts)

Cubs:—
1. R. Vincent (4th K.)
2. G. Saunders (9th K.)

50 yards back stroke (Senior Scouts):—
1. A. Azado (2nd H.K.)
2. H. Millington (1st K.)
3. H. Summers (1st Sea Scouts)

Time: 39.35 secs.

50 yards free style (Scouters, Cubbers, Rovers and Deep Sea Scouts):—
1. C. Wirth (6th K.)
2. Leung Lai Sang, 7th H.K.)
Time: 31.35 secs.

100 yards free style (Rover and Deep Sea Scouts):—
1. Leung Lai Sang (7th H.K.)
2. C. Wirth (6th K.)
Time: 99 secs.

150 yards Inter-Troop Relay:—
1. 1st. Kowloon (St. Andrews)
2. 1st. Sea Scouts and 2nd. Hong Kong

Inter-Troop Competition (The Bird Challenge Cup):—
1. 1st. Kowloon (St. Andrews) 18 pts.
2. 1st. Sea Scouts 11 "

3. 2nd. Kowloon (Garrison) 8 "

5th. Kowloon (Roving Fifth) 8 "

4. 2nd. Hong Kong (Catholic Cathedral) 7 "

5. 8th. Kowloon (D.B.S.) 6 "

6. 18th. Hong Kong (Cheung Chiau) 3 "

Inter-Pack Competition:—
1. 2nd. Hong Kong 0
2. 4th. Hong Kong (Murray) 4
3. 9th. Kowloon (Scottish) 1
12th. Kowloon 1

ST. ANDREW'S CONCERT

To Take Place On Wednesday

A grand Concert will take place at St. Andrew's Church on Wednesday at 8 p.m. when a number of prominent local artists will entertain. Part of the proceeds will be towards the "Alice-in-Wonderland" Fete which is being held in November. Tickets will be \$1 inclusive of taxes.

Among those taking part in the concert are Mrs. Anderson Miller, L.R.A.M., A.B.C.M. (Soprano), Mrs. E. Schreder, (Violinist), Mrs. E. W. Gardner (Contralto), Mr. Li Chai Chai (Tenor), the Rev. J. B. Higgins, and Mr. Dick Barry, who is very popular with the young at the piano.

Mr. Rupert Baldwin, A.C.C., will be in attendance as accompanist.

ANOTHER TRIP TO THE STRATOSPHERE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright))

Geneva, Sept. 30.

Professor Piccard, who is now reading in Lausanne confirmed the rumour that he will be making a new ascent into the stratosphere in the new year in the hope of reaching a height of 80,000 feet. He says that at present he is working on the plans for his new balloon.

—*Franklin K. M.*

HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL

Annual Bazaar Held

The annual Bazaar of the Holy Spirit School was held at 140, Caine Road on Saturday afternoon. Hundreds of children and grown-ups visited the bazaar, making purchases and taking part in the many side-shows, such as the "fish-pond," "Bran tub," "Ring toss" and other attractions.

Many knitted and embroidered articles, suitable for household use, were at "sacrifice prices," while toys and dolls were also in abundance.

Practically the entire school took part in providing the material and work for organizing the bazaar the purpose of which was to raise funds for a piano and apparatus for a domestic science laboratory.

MISS STELLA WALSH

Famous Athlete Here

Miss Stella Walsh, the famous athlete and holder of the women's world athletic records for 80 metres, 100 metres and 200 metres, passed through here on Saturday morning on the Haruna Maru on her way to Japan where she is to compete with Japanese woman athletes in attempts to establish new world records.

She has been invited to Japan by the Japanese Women's Athletic Federation, and a schedule has been arranged as follows:—

She will make her first appearance on the track at Osaka on October 14; October 20 a repeat performance; October 24, at Nagaya; October 27, at Tokyo.

At the first three meets Miss Walsh hopes to attack sprint records and at the last meet in Tokyo to lower her long distance marks.

Miss Walsh has come through from Europe with the Japanese women athletes who took part in the Women's World Olympics in London this summer.

GOLF

Finalists In Four-somes

In the semi-finals of the second foursomes tournament of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club, T.D. Paton (8) and J.W. Frank (13) beat J.B. Ross (7) and J.L. Adams (23), while D.J. Valentine (15) and A.T. Braley (7) defeated P. Morrison (17) and A. Macfarlane (17). Results of the Third Round of the third foursomes tournament were as follows.

J. E. Richardson (9) and G. White (23) beat J.W. Franks (13) and F. J. de Rome (7) 1 up.

H. T. Buxton (17) and T. C. Fairburn (17) beat A. T. Braley (7) and T. D. Paton (8) 2 and 1.

J. McKnight (9) and J. D. Kinnaird (7) beat H. Hampton (10) and E. Lewis (8) 6 and 4.

J. E. Richardson and G. White will play H. T. Buxton and T. C. Fairburn in the semi-finals while J. McKnight and J. D. Kinnaird will play the winners of the Third Round match between H. Hampton (12) and N. J. Perrin (13).

J. E. Davey (14) and J. A. E. Selby (7).

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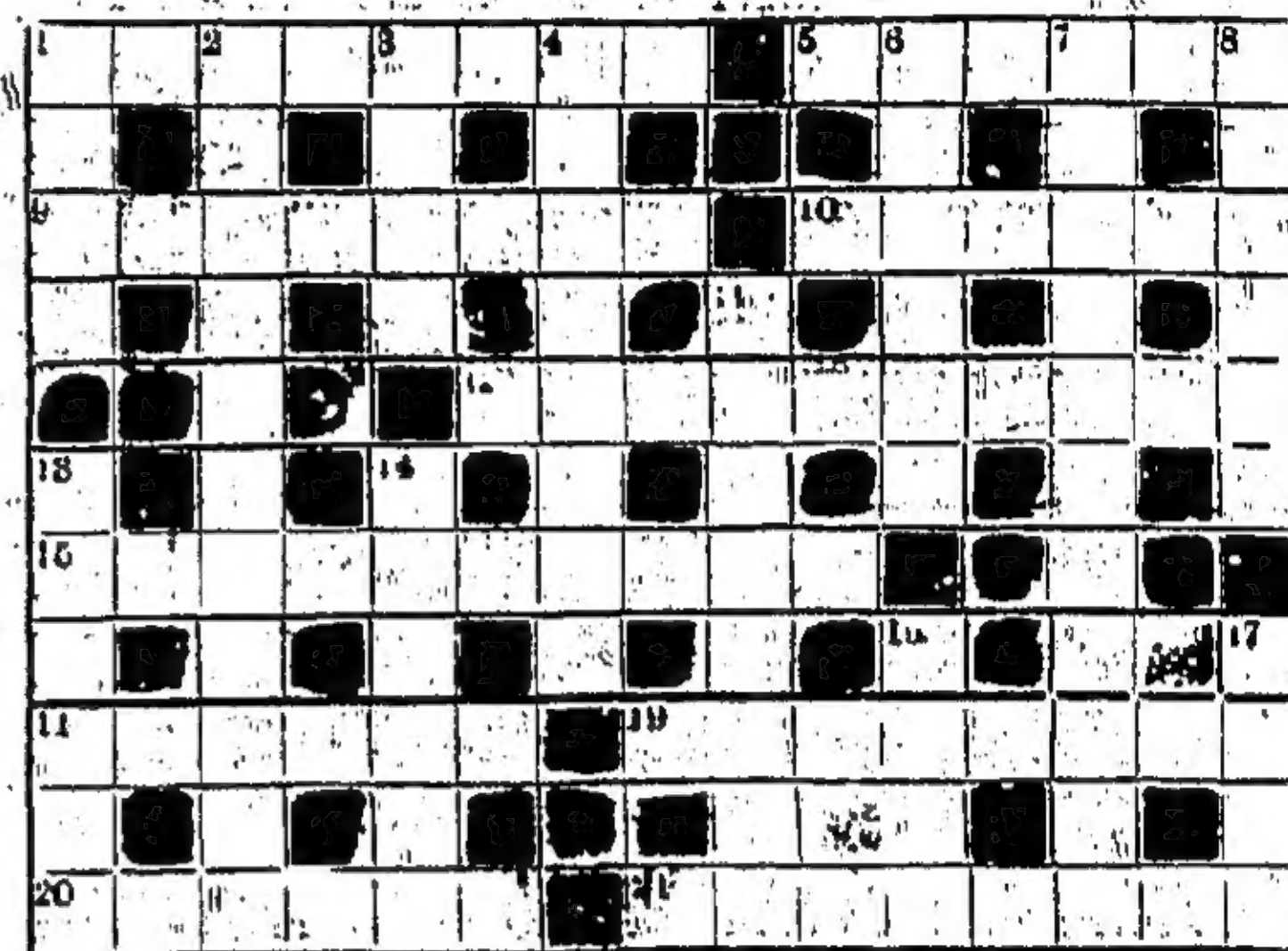
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ACROSS

- This contract should include an oven out of order (8)
- Having done as told to do, one has this (5)
- Eton boys wear this style of collar (3)
- One has no desire to be in this uproar (6)
- It seems to be lacking in variety (10)
- Peace (10)
- Inflammation of the eye, it is evident (6)
- May be a fence, or part of a telephone (8)
- The time a prisoner has to undergo when a judge is this (6)
- The sun disappears in this direction (8)

DOWN

- We get nothing but sauce when we put up with this (4)
- A protean faculty and we may find "it's rival yet" (anagram) (11)
- A brood of pheasants (4)
- He seems to be a late arrival (8)
- An English school gives a finish to this native of France (6)
- A tropical malady, and every fellow needs a change that gets it (11)
- To bequeath by will (6)
- It is never ideal but it's certainly real (8)
- A lot of water (6)
- One to whom property is legally transferred (8)
- Including the residue (4)
- Here's the final clue to ravel out (4)

NOTE—Figures in parentheses indicate number of letters in the words required

CHINESE "Y" MEETING

At the annual aquatic sports of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. on Saturday, Wong Shiu Hung proved himself to be the outstanding swimmer, winning the 200 yards breast stroke event in the very good time of 3 mins. and 3 secs. and being by a touch in the 100 yards back stroke to Kwok Hon Min.

The results were as follows:—
200 Yards Free Style, Senior (Final):—Kwok Hon, Ming, Wong Shiu Hung and Lo Yuk Wing.

800 Yards Free Style, Senior (Final):—Chan Kam Ching, Wong Shiu Hung, Li Hang Fan and Lo Yuk Wing.

100 Yards Back-Stroke (Senior):—Kwok Hon Ming (Time: 1 min. 25 secs.); 2. Chan Kam Ching; 3. Wong Shiu Hung; 4. Lo Yuk Wing.

200 Yards Breast-Stroke, Senior:—Wong Shiu Hung (Time: 3 mins. 3 secs.); 2. Li Ping Kwan; 3. Li Hung Fan; 4. Wong Chan Ming.

50 Yards Free Style, Senior (Final):—Lo Yuk Wing, Chung Shi Chai and Leung Fu Kwang.

Fancy Diving, Senior (Final):—Chak Shiu Fuk, Tang Hing Fay, Lo King Saw and Tim Pun.

50 Yards Free Style, Junior:—Chak Shiu Fuk (Time: 31 secs.); 2. Chuen Nim Wan; 3. Chan To Cheung; 4. Leung Hon Shi.

100 Yards Free Style, Junior (Final):—Chuen Nim Wan, Chak Shiu Fuk and Kong Ki Fan.

400 Yards Free Style, Junior (Final):—Chak Shiu Fuk, Tang Hing Fay, Li Hung and Kong Ki Fan.

50 Yards Back-Stroke, Junior:—Lo King Sam (Time: 53 secs.); 2. Chan Nim Wan; 3. Chak Shiu Fuk; 4. Kong Ki Fan.

100 Yards Breast-Stroke, Junior:—Kong Ki Fan (Time: 1 min. 27 secs.); 2. Ho Chung Hay; 3. Li Shiu Ki; 4. Chak Shiu Fuk.

Fancy Diving, Junior (Final):—Chak Shiu Fuk, Tang Hing Fay, Lo King Sam and Tim Pun.

SAMPAN RACES

South China Aquatics

In the 1,500 metres sampan race on the first day of the eleventh annual aquatic meeting of the South China Athletic Association, at North Point, last Saturday Wong Kam Wah beat Lam Wal, and in the women's event, Ho Kit Ching had no difficulty in beating Fung Wah Kun.

An event which promises to draw the Colony's best Chinese long distance swimmers will be the 2,000 metres cross-the-harbour event.

It is understood that this event, which will be held on Saturday, October 6, will be from Whampoa Dock near Hung Hom to the Association's bathing beach.

The following were Saturday's results:—
1,500 Metres Sampan Race (Men's):—1. Wong Kam Wah; 2. Lam Wal; 3. Yen Yu Yee.

Also participated: Lee Kam Chi and Lau Ming Sal.

1,500 Metres Sampan Race (Women's):—1. Ho Kit Ching; 2. Fung Wah Kun; 3. So King Shun.

Time: 12 min. 29.35 secs. Also participated: Tung Wal Fung.

1,000 Metres Sampan Relay:—1. Yen Yu Yee and Miss Ho Kit Ching; 2. Wong Kam Wah and Miss Fung Wah Kun; 3. Ho Kit Ming and Miss Tung Wah Fung.

Time: 13 min. 39.15 secs. Also participated: Chan Man Yee and Miss So King Shun.

Tommy's Defence

Storekeeper: "This ten-cent piece doesn't ring!"

Tommy: "What do you want for a dime, a set of chimes?"

"A STORM IN A TEA CUP"

JUDGMENT GIVEN IN PEAK PARTY CASE

All Defendants Fined One Dollar

Judgment was given by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at Central Magistrate's Court on Saturday in the "Peak Party" case in which three well-known residents, Messrs. G. W. Sewell, A. L. Sullivan and H. C. Meekes were summoned for committing a nuisance at 236, The Peak at 12.45 a.m. on August 31, by making or permitting a noise calculated to disturb or interfere with public tranquility. The defendants were each fined \$1.

In his judgment, His Worship remarked that although he gathered from the Crown Solicitor that it was a test case, it seemed to him rather "a storm in a tea cup." He felt considerable sympathy with the defendants up to a certain point and he thought a telephone call should have preceded the visit of a policeman.

Mr. H. K. Holmes, Crown Solicitor, appeared for the complainant, Mr. T. H. King, Deputy Inspector General of Police, and Mr. D. B. Evans, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master represented the defendants.

Immediately after he had taken the Bench, Mr. Hamilton enquired of all the defendants were present. Mr. Evans replied that with the exception of Mr. A. L. Sullivan, the other two defendants were not and they had asked him to apologise for their absence. They had tried their best to be present, but Mr. Meekes had to go to a ship at 8.30 and Mr. Sewell was also engaged on a ship.

THE JUDGMENT

The judgment was as follows: The section No. 13 of Ordinance of 1932 under which this charge is brought is, as the defence pointed out, very comprehensive and if invariably invoked might catch a great many parties, both on the Peak and elsewhere. However, its wording seems to me clear, and the fact that it was re-enacted in the New Ordinance only two years ago shows that the Legislature do not regard it as old legislation now unnecessary. Reference has been made in this case to what may generally be termed the ordinary comity which should be shown in neighbourly relations.

I cannot help thinking that this section is meant to deal with cases where this comity is not observed, which unhappily is the case here. However that may be, the case has been brought and I am bound to hear and decide it.

The Meaning of "Calculated"

The word "calculated" is explained in the Oxford Dictionary as, (1), reckoned, estimated, devised with forethought, and (2), fitted, suited, fit, apt, of a nature or character proper or likely to. In my opinion the second sense of the word must be taken here. The Dictionary quotes as illustration "a circumstance calculated to excite strong suspicion." I cannot think the section means to use the first sense, and there is no such suggestion against the defendants.

Considering the defence, I might say that, upon the facts disclosed before me, I feel considerable sympathy with the defendants up to a certain point. They were having a cheerful party such as people have given, are giving and will give all over the Colony. Doubtless in many cases annoyance is caused, but I think a telephone call should precede a policeman. Still Mr. King gave his reasons and was within his rights. But even if upset and annoyed, I think that the defendants should have realised they were causing disturbance of tranquility and should have successfully removed the ground of complaint. I have to decide whether they did or not.

I am quite sure that all the defendants think they were talking the truth. Indeed the discrepancies of their stories are just what one would expect if people are unexpectedly asked to describe in detail what happened during the period of which they were taking no particular notice. They all indicated the noise was less after Sub-Inspector Kirby's arrival and was not calculated to disturb. It is their power of assessing this fact and not their veracity which I doubt. The offence has two parts, its initial commission inside the house at No. 236, and its continuation when in No. 302 the noise woke Mr. Ross up. As Mr. Sullivan very aptly said it is difficult to assess volume of sound. Evidence of what the sound effected seems to me a better criterion of its disturbing nature than the opinion of the people making it.

Certain Persons not Called

A point was taken by the defence that certain persons both named and unnamed should have been called. The prosecution might just as well comment on the fact that though two male and female guests were subpoenaed only the ladies were called in evidence. Both sides were within their rights. As Cockburn C. J. remarked in Woolley v. Corbushley "Why should all the evidence be got out? We only require what was material."

Another point taken, as I understood it, was that there was only the evidence that one person was disturbed. In my view the disturbance of one person is sufficient to constitute an offence. If the intention was that so many people must be disturbed before the Section operated I think it would have said so. The prosecution, I think, go further. They quote Woolley v. Corbushley (Q. B. 14.9.60) where in a case of playing football on the public highway to the annoyance of the passenger therein. What was proved was that a horse was frightened and that the constable could not have proceeded upon his way through the market place where the offence took place. The cases seem analogous.

The Prosecution

Now, what have the prosecution proved? Mr. King stated that shortly after 10 p.m. he heard noise which was a considerable annoyance.

At 11.20 he took action. At 12.45 a.m. when woken by the telephone, he went to his window which faced rather away from the noise, and "heard the previous racket being continued." He gives no evidence of being disturbed himself. He merely proves that there was a noise calculated to disturb. It is possible I could convict on the authority of Woolley v. Corbushley but further evidence makes it unnecessary to consider that point. Could anything be clearer than Mr. Ross's evidence? It is no question of assessing correctly the volume of sound. Mr. Ross says bluntly "I was awakened four times by the noise and finally a fifth time by the departure of the guests." I asked, I think a jury would agree that this constituted a disturbance of his tranquility. I accordingly find that the prosecution have succeeded in proving their case.

Storm in a Tea Cup

I gathered from the Crown Solicitor that this is a test case. It seems to me rather a storm in a tea cup. Mr. Sewell has adopted rather a tragic attitude about the reflection cast upon him. All I can say is that I do not conceive it possible that anyone who knows the facts can consider that any reflection has been cast upon the moral character of the defendants. I must, however, find that the charge proven and I fine them \$1 each.

MILITARY CHARITY TOMBOLA

Over 600 People Present

Over 600 people were present at the Military Charity Tombola held at the Garrison Lecture Hall on Saturday night.

Mr. W. E. Wiseman won the biggest prize, and the following were among the winners:—B. Hill, G. Mason, F. Curtis, S. Shell, W. E. Grant, H. Howard, W. Kirkham, A. Corby, M. Perry, J. Goodfellow, A. Nutter, P. Hicks, J. Hutchinson, F. Dudley, T. Phillips, W. Crawley, F. Morgan, C. Baugh, H. Kendrick, S. Woods, O. Farmer, J. W. Lawrence, W. J. Burton, L. Evans and F. W. Little.

LOCAL WEDDING

Miss Maud Braga Married

A very pretty wedding took place on Saturday at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon when Miss Maud Carolina Braga, second daughter of the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga and Mrs. Braga, became the bride of Mr. Eric Stanley Franks, third son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Francis of Crystal Palace, London. The Rev. J. R. Higgin officiated.

Many friends attended at the Church service where Mr. John Braga (violin) and Mr. Rupert Baldwin (Organ) rendered "Still is the Night."

The bride wore a graceful "Eunice" model of unusual design. The bodice was fashioned of ivory rose-patterned silk lace connected to a skirt of heavy Romaine by a skilfully twisted sash, marking a high waist line, and finishing in orange blossom clusters at the back. Tight fitting lace sleeves cut to fall in a point over the hands and finishing in a tiny bow presented a very dainty effect.

The bride's train was of heavy white Romaine with a wide inlet of lace and she wore an elaborately embroidered tulle veil, held to her head by a coronet of orange blossoms and crystals. A bouquet of white roses was carried.

The bride was attended by a trainbearer, Miss Poppy Arnold, daintily dressed in a period frock of fine white lace and pink chiffon. A lace halo trimmed with tiny hand-made roses similar to that worn by the Bride completed this charming little attendant's ensemble.

The Bride's two sisters, Misses Jean and Caroline Braga, attended as Bridesmaids and were becomingly attired in gowns of yellow and blue organdie and carried African daisies. Mr. Jack Braga, the bride's brother, gave his sister away. The Hon. J. P. Braga was unable to attend owing to his illness. He was visited by the Bride and Groom immediately after the reception.

The duties of best man were undertaken by Mr. Harry Frazer and Mrs. Frazer was Matron of Honour.

A reception was held after the ceremony at Claremont Hotel. The Bride's going away dress was of navy and white with accessories to tone. The honeymoon is being spent at Cheung Chau.

FROM THE GAZETTE

Notifications And Appointments

The following notifications and appointments are taken from the Gazette:—

H. E. the Governor has been pleased to appoint temporarily Mr. James Joseph Hayden to be a Puisne Judge for the purpose of the Full Court Ordinance, 1933, in relation to any criminal appeal now pending.

H. E. the Governor has been pleased to appoint Dr. W.B.A. Moore to be a member of the Legislative Council during the absence from the Colony of the Hon. Dr. A. R. Wellington.

H. E. the Governor had made the following promotions and appointments in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps:—Capt. J. C. MacGown, M.B. Ch. B. (Edin) to be a Major with effect from 1st September, 1934. Second Lieutenant J. R. Way to be Lieutenant, with effect from September 27, 1934.

Sergeant G.C.M. Moutrie to be Second Lieutenant, with effect from October 1, 1934.

Messrs. V. C. Branson, Arthur Jackson and J. L. Tetley are appointed analysts for the purpose of the Sale of Food and Drug Ordinance.

The Gazette contains a reminder that rates for the fourth quarters, 1934 are payable in advance on or before October 31, 1934.

It is notified that at the expiration of three months from date the Nan Chin Tobacco Company Limited will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register.

CORRESPONDENCE

(All letters intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not for publication, unless so desired, but as evidence of good faith.—Ed.)

The Budget Proposals

(To the Editor, "Hong Kong Daily Press")

Dear Sir,—Over the weekend I have had an opportunity of closely studying the replies of the Honourable Members of Council to the Budget proposals of the Government, and it has struck me that as a body mostly of business men, in particular the Member for the Chamber of Commerce, they must have had some good reason, so obviously good that it was not declared, for failing to urge on the Government the advisability of determining the cost in dollars of that part of the administration for which the Colony has incurred or will incur liabilities in sterling.

I refer to the fixing of exchange for which the machinery provided in the Colony is ample and not only fully utilised, but universally recognised by business interests as a necessity to remove business involving foreign currencies from the realm of speculation. Why not take same procedure by the Government?

The total of the sterling commitments of the Government is not available to the public but on the Government's own declaration it is of immense importance to the finances of the Colony. The Government has budgeted its sterling expenditure at 1/4 against the prevailing quotation of more than 2/6 over that rate on the ground of uncertainty of the value of silver and the possibility of a slump in the rate to 1/4 as was the case some months ago. Why not remove the element of uncertainty and why gamble? Why not take the opportunity of reducing the cost of sterling liabilities by at least 15 per cent, with the added advantage of establishing in dollars the present unascertainable portion of Government expenditure? Why not, again, safeguard the position by the purchase of sterling to the extent of the Colony's commitments in that currency?

It is really a simple matter, and resolves itself into merely a question of book-keeping for with the resale of sterling as commitments are liquidated at current or at the special rates enjoyed by Government servants, the difference on resale, whether in favour of or against the Government, is not a profit or loss. The receipt or payment of a difference will be merely an adjustment bringing the liquidation of the sterling liability to the rate determined by the Budget.

Subject to exchange covered in a supplementary Budget, it appears to me that the rate could with safety be raised to a level substantially higher than 1/4 with a resultant important reduction in the deficit of over \$1,800,000 anticipated by the Budget thus conserving the Colony's Reserves. Alternatively the saving might be applied to the Hon. Dr. Kotewall's proposal for a reduction in rates, partially at least or towards the cost of construction of the market for which there is such a crying need.

Budgeting for Revenue is largely a matter of experience and probabilities, but Expenditure estimates are not subject so much to conjecture in particular if the exchange element be safeguarded against by a hedge.—Yours faithfully,

C. A. DA ROZA.

Hong Kong, Sept. 30.

Peak Party Case

Sir, In view of the public interest aroused by the recent Peak party case and the evidence which disclosed Mr. Sewell's histrionic ability in mimicry especially his well known impersonation of a Chinese Sing-Song girl we would like to see the Broadcasting Committee extend an invitation to Mr. Sewell to give this impersonation on the air for the benefit of B.B.C. listeners.

Many of our friends join us in feeling very grateful to Mr. Sewell would accede to such a request if

ANY LETTERS FOR YOU?

Unclaimed Correspondence

AT THE POST OFFICE.

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Canton Knitting Co., A. Chamberlain, China Silversmith Co., Ltd.
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Unclaimed Radio Telegrams
September 21.—Fontal, from San Francisco.
September 23.—Now Long 160, Winglock Street, Chattanooga, Tenn.

September 24.—Chutunghon, 10 Newmarket Street, from Empress of Asia, V.P.G.T.

LESSON SERMON

First Church of Christ, Scientist

"Reality" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ Scientist, on Sunday, September 30th.

The Golden Text was: "Whatever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things" (Philippians 4:8).

Among the citations, which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Good and upright is the Lord: therefore he will teach sinners in the way.... O taste and see that the Lord is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in him. O fear the Lord, ye his saints: for there is no want to them that fear him. The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.... For the Lord is good: his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations." (Psalms 25:34, 100).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "As God Himself is good and is Spirit, goodness and spirituality must be immortal.... If goodness and spirituality are real, evil and materiality are unreal and cannot be the outcome of an infinite God, good" (p.277).

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We would like to express here our best regards towards Mr. Sewell and the other gentlemen residing at 236, The Peak.

Yours truly,
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Hong Kong, Sept. 29.



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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE EIGHTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 6th OCTOBER, and on WEDNESDAY, 10th OCTOBER, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on both days.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 per day for Gentlemen and \$3.00 per day for Ladies (both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 8th Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 per day including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tio Tac Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 1st October, 1934. [2878]

DEATHS

CHATHAM.—On Sept. 28, 1934, in London, after a brief illness, Rose Marion, wife of W. Chatham, late Director of Public Works, Hong Kong, and beloved mother of Mrs. E. D. C. Wolfe and Gordon Chatham.

HORST.—On Sept. 8, 1934, suddenly, at Saharanpur, India, Waltek (Bill), aged 44, the dearly loved husband of Margaret Joyce Horst (nee Holyoak, of Hong Kong) staying at "Tai Wo," Amersham, Bucks.

HENLY SMITH.—On Sept. 4, 1934, suddenly, at Plymouth, James Henly Smith, only son of Mrs. Henly Smith, thirty-three years with Messrs. MacNeill and Co., Calcutta.

MARRIAGE

MARTINE.—MACQUISTEN. — On Sept. 6, 1934, at St. Columba's, Pont Street, London, Theodore Charles, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Martin, of Weston, Hadlington, to Patricia Beatrice, youngest daughter of Mr. F. A. Macquisten, K.C., M.P., and Mrs. Macquisten, Kelsey House, Leopold Road, Wimbledon.

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The Daily Press

Hong Kong, October 1, 1934.

AIR VISIONS BECOME REALITY

Irresistibly the once "idle dreams" of aviation enthusiasts are coming into reality, and crossing the American continent in the short space of thirteen hours is comparatively easy with modern planes. As recently as last year 300 miles an hour for commercial machines was considered impossible yet, present stratosphere designs call for 350 miles an hour, and there are a number of engineers who aim at 500 miles an hour in the stratosphere, and that at the not far distant future.

With fundamental possibilities changing, even the details of once-imaginary air travel are coming to the fore. With planes constantly shutting back and forth, the possibility of head-on collision led to the proposal that specific altitudes be set for different directions. Thus eastbound planes

EMBASSIES IN CHINA AND ITALY

Change Warmly Welcomed By Chinese Opinion

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Shanghai, Sept. 30. Commenting on the decision just reached for the elevation of the Chinese and Italian representations to the status of Embassies, it is interesting to welcome the development in regard to international relations, states the "People's Tribune" in a leading article.

The paper proceeds: "This is a change which is warmly welcomed by Chinese opinion as evidence of recognition by a great European people of China's progress as a nation. With so many disheartening setbacks during the past few years, it is indeed encouraging to find a European Power frankly expressing appreciation of China's efforts for national reconstruction in so friendly a manner."

It is reported by Havas from London that the news of this Sino-Italian decision to elevate the Legations to Embassies has been received there with great surprise. We, in turn, are surprised to learn that the report should cause any surprise in European diplomatic circles, but shall not be surprised to learn that other nations will be soon following Italy's example. It is known that one country—perhaps more—has been for some time seriously considering the raising of its Legation in China to an Embassy. Now that Italy has taken the lead perhaps the hesitation hitherto observed in other quarters will be abandoned."

China United Press.

BANDIT DRIVE SUCCESS

Red Stronghold Attacked

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Foochow, Sept. 30. It is reported from Lungyeh that the Eastern Route bandit suppression forces under General Chiang Ting Wen, scored further success in the anti-Red drive on Changting, the Red stronghold in West Fukien. More than 2,000 outlaws were killed by the artillery fire of the Government forces.

The Red defence lines at Shihli-hengling and Shankouling eight miles from Fengkow were occupied by a detachment of Government troops. The Red defence works in front of Chungwatsun were taken, and the bandits are prepared to remove in view of Government pressure.

China United Press.

ANTI-RED DRIVE IN SZECHUAN

Gen. Liu Hsiang To Direct

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Chungking, Sept. 30. General Liu Hsiang, Szechuen Chairman, is abandoning his resignation and will shortly direct an anti-Red drive. Rumours of the Red menace have been exaggerated and there are no immediate dangers here.

China United Press.

might fly at from 2000 to 3000 feet, and westbound planes at from 4000 to 5000 feet. Now, this altitude "lane-ing" of airways has started, although not based on avoidance of collision. The operators of the latest high-speed ships report that their craft are most efficient at around 15,000 feet. Such ships, if they must make frequent stops, spend much time getting up to that altitude and coming down from it, as the descent must be gradual enough to save the passengers from discomfort due to changing air pressure.

For this reason the United States Post Office Department is planning to have this type of ship operating at an altitude of 15,000 feet for long-distance express service, and as for the planes that must, of necessity, make frequent stops, the idea is that they will fly at much lower altitudes. Despite the fact that aviation is making advances at very rapid strides, the public is hardly conscious of the fact. A sky filled with well-ordered air janes, with 300-miles-an-hour planes, and San Francisco to New York or New York to London trips in about 10 hours in "luxury liners"—all this is no longer the "idle dreams" of the long ago. But the public merely raises an eyebrow with "Is that so? Interesting!" and goes its way. Such receptive thought is doubtless a major contributing factor in the tremendous increase in the speed with which radical developments that eliminate time and space have come and are still coming.

AVIATION IN CHINA

Shanghai-Canton Service

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Shanghai, Sept. 30. The suspended National China Aviation Corporation's Shanghai-Canton air service is probably resuming at the end of October. Two newly-bought Douglas Dolphin amphibians arrived yesterday, delivery being delayed owing to the United States strike. A trial flight from Shanghai to Canton will be held shortly, possibly on Monday or Tuesday.

The new planes in outside appearance are similar to the Sokolki planes previously on the line, but are all-metal monoplanes of simple construction, with minimum air resistance, blind-flying equipment and radio, safety service complete. The cruising speed is 150 miles.

Owing to weather conditions which are dangerous for aviation in the Shanghai Islands area, the Corporation has surveyed and decided on a radio station at Lanhushan, Hangchow Bay, for reports of air conditions. Buildings are completed and the equipments are being installed. The service will be ready by the middle of October.

The Corporation will place next year two Lockheed Electras with a cruising speed of 200 miles on the Shanghai-Peking line and four suitable planes on the Shanghai-Chungking route.

China United Press.

EXHIBITION OF CHINESE ART

To Be Held In England

Nanking, Sept. 30.

On suggestions from Chinese and British culture circles, it is learnt that an international exhibition of Chinese arts will be held at the premises of the Royal Arts College, England, in November next year for a period of six months in order to promote Chinese arts and foster better relations between the two countries.

The chief executives of both Governments and other senior Government officials will be invited as honorary exhibition chairmen and superintendents.

The exhibition affairs will be in the hands of a Board of Trustees. It is reported that Lord Lytton, formerly of the League Commission, will be invited as the Board Chairman.

China United Press.

PRINCESS MARINA

London, Sept. 29.

Princess Marina and her parents Prince and Princess Nicholas of Greece will conclude their visit to London on Monday and will return to Paris.

British Wireless.

BRITISH CONSULATE AT NANKING

To Be Converted For Use Of Legation

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Nanking, Sept. 30. It is learnt from a reliable source that the British Consulate at Nanking will be converted for use of the British Legation from Peking. Additional buildings are being considered and new premises are being looked for for use as a Consulate General.

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AMBASSADOR W. W. YEN

To Resume His Post In Moscow

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Nanking, Sept. 29. Ambassador W. W. Yen will shortly proceed to the capital from the North. It is learnt from the Foreign Ministry. He will hold an interview with M. Bogomoloff, Soviet Ambassador, at the capital and will proceed immediately to Moscow for duty resumption after receipt of instructions from Mr. Wang Ching Wei, Executive Council President and Foreign Minister.

China United Press.

TYPHOON WARNING

The following telegram was received by the American Consulate yesterday from Manila, timed 3.15 p.m.

Typhoon in about 117 degrees Long East and 13 degrees Lat. North, moving W.N.W.

The Hong Kong Observatory reported at 5.20 p.m.—The typhoon is situated about 250 miles South-east of Hong Kong, moving W.N.W.

The No. 7 typhoon signal was hoisted at 10.30 p.m. At 11 p.m. a gale force of 45 miles per hour was reported from Pratas.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Three cases of enteric fever were reported for the 24 hours ended on Sept. 28.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, will lay the foundation stone of the new Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on October 17 at 12.15 p.m.

A reception in honour of the 24th anniversary of the Portuguese Republic will be held from 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. at the Club Lusitano on Friday.

The birthday of Confucius will be observed by the local Confucian Society on Friday, who are commemorating the date according to the Hunan Calendar. Many local schools will observe the day as a holiday.

Five geologists from the Central University, Nanking, will be shortly arriving in the Colony. They are here to study the geology of Southern China. The party will visit Kwangtung and will proceed to Kweichow via Annam.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mundy and family returned to the Colony by the s.s. Conte Verde. Mr. Mundy is the newly elected captain of the Kowloon Golf Club; he played in the Lucifer Cup series while on leave.

Chinese Chess enthusiasts will have an opportunity on Monday October 15 to see an interport match between Hong Kong, Canton and Macau. The match will be played at the Chung Nam Athletic Association's Club Room in Caine Road.

The Chung Shing Benevolent Society will hold their second swimming gala of the season at the Society's bathing beach, Kennedy Town, next Saturday, commencing at 7 p.m. Prizes will be presented by Mr. Wong Hing-Kwong.

Sir Robert and Lady Ho Tung returned to the Colony on Saturday on the Conte Verde and was met on the wharf by a number of leading Chinese residents and members of his family. Sir Robert was looking very well and appeared to have fully recovered from the effects of his recent illness.

If Gossip We Must

(BY STRENGTH)



Mrs. Begdon and Mr. W. A. Butterfield "snapped" just outside the Steward's Room at the Race Course.

Normally, when I take up my pen to write this article, the situation is more or less serious. I have perhaps a few pencilled notes, and half an idea; beyond that is a fund of ignorance like the Gobi desert. Not so to-day. The Dress Drought has broken. All the Chrysalises (or is it Chrysalides) who for weeks back been wearing a string of beads and last year's sofa cover have suddenly gone a-bust.

New frocks simply whistled on Saturday night. And so I find myself in the astounding position of having too much to write about. I have a book of notes like the Encyclopaedia Britannica; I can pick and choose with infuriating smugness.

I enjoyed Saturday night. The Roof garden of the Hong Kong Hotel was my venue. It was packed; if I have a criticism to make, it was a bit too packed. Dancing was an athletic adventure.

AMONG THOSE PRESENT

I thought Chris Angus was the smartest girl there. She was wearing a frock with a black skirt and a white top embroidered with black sequins. Barbara Walker was in white brocade with a white organdie ruffle and a vermillion sash. Mrs. Barry looked as nice as ever in black with a green organdie-trill. This all sounds much of a muchness, but the whole party was rather a symphony in black and white. Paddy Sully was another one. White again with flowers in her hair. Irene Butler was back from home, and was wearing peach satin. She was with her brother. And while we're on Butlers, Mrs. Dennis Butler was sitting by the door in a white tussore suit with a red blouse. Margaret King wore white, with a large red poppy, and nails to match. Her sister Rosemary was in green crepe-de-chine with a pattern of multi-coloured flowers.

PRETTY FACES AND PRETTY GOWNS

The Roof Garden was indeed a fairland of pretty faces and beautiful gowns, and so many were the pretty ladies that it was hard to say who should have been crowned Beauty Queen. Mrs. Foxall who had just returned to the Colony was looking very smart in a green elephant crepe dress while Mrs. Fairburn also favoured green, her gown being of flowered silk. Mrs. Bee Walker's dress of

black was absolutely backless—there was only string enough to hold it up, and with her were the charming Fair sisters. Sitting not far from our table was Mr. Muzzal who wore the most fascinating dress imaginable—a blue flowered chiffon with a white flowered "halo" to match, and when I turned to my right I saw Mrs. R. Ramsay, looking exceedingly smart in an apple green close fitting frock with the cutest buckles imaginable.

Everybody was so happy and good reason they had to be, too. Mrs. Marsnell was in a flowered chiffon dress and appeared to me to be having a great time. Mr. Walker, the popular manager of the Railway was there with his charming wife who looked adorable in a black dress; and Mrs. Charlton too, was in black.

RED DRESS AND DARK HAIR

Mrs. Suckling is one of those who have the happy knack of knowing how to dress. I thought her dress of georgette (red) was the cutest thing and she wore red shoes too. There is no need for me to add, of course, that red goes beautifully with her dark hair. Mrs. Paton, wife of Mr. Paton of the Sun Life Insurance Co., made a beautiful picture in a pretty turquoise georgette dress; another in blue was Miss Dunsford whose dress was of honeycomb material. Miss Anne Dodwell, the pretty daughter of Mr. Stanley Dodwell was there, looking her prettiest in a white dress and quite close to her were the Russell sisters. One of the jolliest parties was that given by General Maurice Cohen who was in the highest spirits himself. Myra and Marta were good and they brought the house down with their number "She

didn't say yes, she didn't say no," and as one gentleman was heard to remark, they surely can kick high! The two favourites, Sands and Dawn gave us something new in "We Went Hunting," but tell me, oh do please tell me, who was that tiny fair girl who lost her partner?

THE CABARET

I have never seen a turn so much improved as Sands and Dawn. They were slick, rehearsed to the minute and definitely a good thing. Their song about the Slaying of the Big Bad Wolf and the dance which followed it was easily the best turn I have yet seen in a Hong Kong cabaret. Thank you! (Don't mention it).

ODDS AND ENDS

The fun went on with considerable eclat. A lot of men came in with funny little hats. Or were they, perhaps, not very funny. Someone dropped two glasses within one minute. Someone tore his coat to bits. The League of the Tallest Men in Asia trod on everybody's frocks and a good many peoples' corns.

Behind me were sitting unescorted, two beautiful ladies in white. They had the desperate expression of people who have "come out to have a good time." To counterbalance their slightly depressing influence, I had in front of me a bottle of wine, and a close-up of an uncovered back that made me feel like Casanova or a curate in Paris. The glitter! The Lights! "Nine! Ten! Eleven thirty And still the music played Ah God! The mushroom sandwiches! The Lights! The lemonade!"

BE THANKFUL

I was driven to think (yes really) that in Hong Kong we get a lot for our money. We go out every Saturday night, and a good many other nights too. It is interesting to compare one's life out here with that of the average homemaker. Our Saturday night is there confined to the Pitt or the Bar Parlour. A visit to the Berkeley is an unheard-of extravagance. Our knowledge of Society comes entirely from such pictorial De Bretts as The Tatler and The Bystander. Whereas here we are important figures in the social whirl. Truly, the outposts of Empire have their consolations.

For what we have received. —



Mr. Deacon and his charming daughter and Mr. J. W. Morris at the Races.

NEWS SUMMARY

The death of Mr. D. A. Gourlay, a former Chief Inspector of the Hong Kong Police Force occurred on August 16 at Crail, Scotland. Page 10

Miss Stella Walsh, the famous athlete and holder of many world's records passed through here on Saturday on her way to Japan where she will compete against the Japanese woman athletes. Page 6

Judgment was given on Saturday in the Peak Party case, all the defendants, Messrs. G. W. Sewell, A. L. Sullivan and H. C. Mecke being each fined \$1. Page 7

Saturday's Home Football matches resulted in Manchester City jumping to first place in the Premier Division of the English League when they visited Middlesbrough and won by the odd goal in

gerie Race on Saturday, while True Blue beat Wasp II in the "A" Class. Full Results appear on Page 10

A pretty wedding (Franks-Braga) took place on Sunday at St. Andrew's Church on Saturday. Page 7

Extracts of Notifications and appointments published in the Gazette are given on Page 7

Saturday's training gallops at Happy Valley are shown on Page 11

The annual Bazaar of the Holy Spirit School was held on Saturday afternoon, and proved to be a complete success, hundreds of children and grown-ups visited the place. Page 6

ADOPTION OF GOLD STANDARD

Vigorous Denials By China

Shanghai, Sept. 29. The Chinese Minister of Finance, Dr. H. H. Kung, to-day vigorously denied the reports that China has informed America that she is going on the gold standard as a result of the effects of the American monetary policy.

Dr. Kung, in an interview with Reuter, said that last Monday, in continuation of an exchange of views which had been going on at Washington for some time, China drew the attention of the American Government to the hardships caused in China through the fluctuations in exchange and the drain of silver from China.

He hinted that strong action was likely when he said that the Chinese Government, as a matter essential to national interest, was giving consideration to measures which might be taken if circumstances warrant, and he had invited the American Government to co-operate.

He emphatically denied, however, that an embargo on the exportation of silver was contemplated.—Reuter.

LONDON OPINION

London, Sept. 29. Reuter's interview with the Chinese Minister of Finance, containing the statement that China is contemplating strong action to safeguard her silver interests, is the main topic of conversation in silver circles, which, however, are at a loss to understand what action could be taken except an embargo on silver or the adoption of a gold standard.

It is pointed out that the former course would result in a further rise in silver, thus aggravating China's difficulties, while the latter course is ruled out as unlikely. As the immediate result of the declaration, Chinese banks and speculators sold, which, in the narrow market, caused a fall in price of 1/8, but Indian speculators stepped in at the decline.—Reuter.

U. S. BILL ATTACKED

New York, Sept. 29. The opposition organ, the New York Herald Tribune, has not been slow to ridicule the Government's silver policy, "adopted in order to restore the purchasing power of China," as some enthusiastic advocates in Congress asserted when the Bill was pending.

"When the history of the present period of monetary experimentation is written, no chapter, we are sure, will emerge quite as ludicrous as the silver purchase law," the journal states. "It remains only for China to demonstrate the silver to add the final touch of irony to make the chapter perfect."

"It would indeed be poetic justice if by their greedy shortsighted designs for the restoration of silver, the silver interests ultimately found that they had driven that metal from its last remaining stronghold," the newspaper adds.—Reuter.

EASTERN PACT PROPOSAL

Poland's Note

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).]

Paris, Sept. 29. The statement made by the Geneva correspondent of "Oeuvre" about the contents of the Polish note on the Eastern Pact has aroused considerable disquietude here. "Oeuvre" declares that the note was long and involved, giving the impression at the first reading that Poland accepts the Pact proposals subject to certain conditions, but closer examination reveals that in essence the Polish Government refuses to move with Germany and in no respect will act contrary to the spirit of the agreement signed with Germany last January.

The Polish Government in fact proposes that the German-Polish agreement be made an integral part of the Eastern Pact. Poland refuses categorically to sign any mutual-aid agreement with countries that have no diplomatic relations with her—obviously referring to Lithuania. Moreover, Poland refuses to undertake obligations to Czechoslovakia and declares herself completely disinterested in the Danube question. "Oeuvre" concludes that the French Government will very soon address certain questions to Poland about the future of Franco-Polish alliance in Poland's foreign policy.—Transocean Kuo Min.

NEW PUMPING PLANT

Largest In The World

London, Sept. 29. A new sluice and pumping station including the largest pumping installation in the world was opened yesterday by the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Walter Elliot. It will drain the heart of the fen country and will deal with flood waters of rivers and meads.

Mr. Elliot said that the vast area which would be drained included 140 acres of some of the fertile land in England representing 23,000,000 in value and the livelihood of many thousands of men and women.

Seventy per cent. of the labour employed for constructing the pumping scheme was obtained from distressed mining areas and many of these men have found permanent work in the district.—British Wireless.

HIS MAJESTY'S JUBILEE

Special Film To Be Prepared

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).]

London, Sept. 29. The latest recruit to the British film industry is Mr. Winston Churchill who is now engaged by the London Film Productions, Ltd. writing the scenario of the film entitled "The Government of George V." This work is intended to be a monumental character and will be one of the big features in the jubilee celebrations of his Majesty's taking over the reins of government.

Mr. Churchill is entrusted with the preparation of the material of the film because his political activity in the last twenty five years specially qualifies him to write on the history period under review.

Two to three hundred copies of the film will be prepared so that they may be shown simultaneously throughout the British Empire.—Transocean Kuo Min.

LEAGUE HELP TO CHINA

Work Of Technical Co-Operation

Geneva, Sept. 29. The League has not appointed anyone to succeed Dr. Rajchmann in connection with the work of technical collaboration in China, but a director of one of the competent sections of the League will be despatched to China for a short period to examine the measures necessary for ensuring a continuation of the development work.

It is not yet decided who will be sent, or the date of his departure. The director's mission will be to examine the present situation with reference to technical co-operation, particularly from the administrative side, and the establishment of an organization to ensure official co-operation.

There is also a complication in the Japanese attitude concerning international interests in China which is doubtless partly responsible for the Committee's decision not to renew Dr. Rajchmann's contract.—Reuter.

CABINET IN BELGIUM

Crisis Averted

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).]

Brussels, Sept. 29. The Belgian Cabinet crisis has been averted as the result of the decision of the Finance Minister, M. Sap, to stay in office. The decision was arrived at following an agreement among the members of the Cabinet late last night to embark on drastic curtailments in all spheres in an effort to balance the budget. It was agreed upon that each Ministry should submit to the Finance Minister up to October 15 proposals with that end in view.

The War Minister, M. Devez, whose original opposition to any curtailment of his department had caused a tension within the cabinet and Sap's threatened resignation, has retreated from his extreme standpoint and likewise acquiesced in the demand for cuts.—Transocean Kuo Min.

REACTION ON STERLING

London, Sept. 29. Fresh offerings from the Continent have led to a resumption of the downward trend of sterling in terms of the dollar and the franc after yesterday's recovery caused by Continental bear covering in connection with the rumours that the Belgium Cabinet dissensions might lead to the abandonment of the gold standard by Belgium thus weakening the gold bloc.

To-day's news of the aversion of the Belgium Cabinet crisis resulted in the above mentioned reversal tendency. Belga improved from 21.14 to 21.05.—Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

London, Sept. 29. London Silver prices to-day were 1/8 down as follows:—

Sept. 23 Sept. 29
Spot 22-7/16 22-5/16
Forward 22-9/16 22-7/16
London on New York cross rate at closing to-day was 4.96-1/8 compared with 4.98-1/2 at closing yesterday.

CONVERSION OF LIGNITE

To Benzine And Motor Fuel

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Berlin, Sept. 29. In order that the processes for converting German lignite to benzine and motor fuel to the highest pitch of efficiency, the Reichs Economic Minister issued a decree on Saturday asking firms who contemplate starting the new enterprise to apply for permission first so that, where advisable, the capital may be pooled and work can be started at advantageous points where production is cheapest.

The object of compulsory company formation is for economic collaboration and to help the lignite industry as a whole and to safeguard the available ready capital against misuse. Small and large firms will be treated exactly alike by the Ministry of Economics. The works erected will remain the property of the participating firms in proportion of the capital subscribed.

This measure aims at regulating the production of synthetic motor fuel in which Germany is forced to minimise her import owing to the lack of foreign currencies for respecting international payments.—Transocean Kuo Min.

BUSIEST SHIPBUILDING CENTRE

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Belfast, Sept. 30. This city now boasts of being the busiest shipbuilding centre in the world, having work in hand to the extent of seven million pounds sterling. The shipbuilders here are intending to submit tenders for the contract for the sister ship to the giant Cunarder, Queen Mary which was launched recently by Her Majesty the Queen in Scotland.—Reuter.

TRAIN SMASH IN ENGLAND

Ten Killed And Twenty One Injured

London, Sept. 29.

A railway disaster resulting in the death of ten persons and injuries necessitating detention in hospital of 21 others occurred on the London-Midland Scottish Line last night when at 9.10 p.m. the London to Blackpool express passenger train ran into the rear of a local passenger train at the junction near Warrington. The local train which at this point leaves the main line had not fully cleared the points when the express overtook it.

Most of the casualties occurred in the first two coaches of the express which were telescoped. Four other coaches were derailed and two rear coaches of the local train which were unoccupied were smashed.

Rescue work undertaken by breakdown gangs who were promptly on the scene was assisted by volunteers including passengers who escaped injury.

Urgent messages for doctors and nurses met with a speedy response. Work was carried out with the aid of flares of electric torches and motorcar headlights.—British Wireless.

ANOTHER REPORT

London, Sept. 29. Twelve are dead and 40 injured in the Railway accident at Warrington Junction, three miles north of Warrington, when the L.M.S. Euston-Fleetwood boat express crashed into the rear of a local train which was just leaving Warrington Station.

It is believed that the driver of the express is dead but his body has not yet been recovered. The fireman was injured.

The dead were taken to Warrington Mental Hospital and the injured to neighbouring hospitals. Twenty-six, of whom 10 are women, are now in Warrington infirmary, all suffering from serious injuries.

Sir Josiah Stamp, Chairman of the L.M.S. Railway, and other high officials of the Company left for the scene on hearing of the disaster.

An official statement by the company says that nine were killed and 21 injured as far as it can be ascertained.—Reuter.

CHIEF SCOUTS TOUR

Includes Visit To New York

London, Sept. 29. The world tour of Lord Baden Powell, Chief Scout, which begins on October 27 will embrace visits to Gibraltar, Port Said, Aden, Ceylon, Malaya, Australia, New Zealand, United States, Canada and Newfoundland.

He will be accompanied by Lady Baden Powell, Chief Guide and their two daughters and every where will be met by representatives of the movement which has active membership of nearly 3,500,000 exclusive of millions of men and women who have passed through the ranks.

The features of the tour will be an attendance at the Australia Jamboree near Melbourne on September 28 and a similar gathering of American Boy Scouts at New York.

Soon after his return to England Lord Baden Powell, who is 77 years old, will visit Sweden for the world Rover Scout meet there and is due to leave for South Africa a little later.—British Wireless.

CHINESE EASTERN RAILWAY

[Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press"]
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, September 30, 7.30 p.m.)
Moscow, Sept. 30.

Negotiations for the sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway have been brought to successful conclusion according to information emanating from reliable sources here. It is added that the price fixed amounts to 140 million yen and not 170 million yen as reported from Japanese sources on Sept. 24.

It is also emphasized that this transaction does not involve recognition of Manchukuo by Soviet Russia.—Transocean Kuo Min.

KING BORIS GIVES A BANQUET

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Sofia, Sept. 29. A gala banquet in honour of Yugoslav Royal couple was given by King Boris and his consort last night and was attended by Prince Kyril, Princess Endoksa, the Yugoslav Foreign Minister Jettich, the Bulgarian Premier, Georgiev, and Foreign Minister Batoloff and many others including high military officials. The utmost cordiality marked King Boris' toast to the

NEW TRADE TREATY

Between France And Canada

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Paris, Sept. 29. A new commercial treaty between France and Canada was signed on Saturday. The Canadian Premier, Mr. R. B. Bennett concluded the negotiations personally and left Paris immediately after signing the agreement.

Both countries made far-reaching concessions, Canada renouncing import duties on wine, liquors, champagne and cheese while France conceded a minimum tariff reduction in certain Canadian agricultural produce, whisky, timber and all kinds of wood.—Transocean Kuo Min.

CHINESE MISSIONS IN EUROPE

Departure From Germany

Berlin, Sept. 29. After a very successful and as they themselves said delightful stay in Germany lasting more than two months, the two Chinese missions headed by General Sun Ting Yao and Vice-Minister of Transport, Yue Pei Feng, left Germany for Poland Czechoslovakia and Russia. The Chinese guests were given a hearty send-off by members of the Chinese Legation and their numerous German friends.

Last night the chiefs of the two commissions gave a farewell dinner which was attended by more than one hundred prominent people including high officials of the German foreign office, Reichswehr Ministry and others.—Transocean Kuo Min.

MILITARY SERVICE FOR WOMEN

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Berlin, Sept. 30.

All women between the ages of 20 and 45 will take part in military exercises if called to the colours, is the subject of a new decree.

The military experts are at present busy drafting the details of the new decree which excludes members of the clergy and of the Parliament as well as invalids.—Transocean Kuo Min.

Yugoslav rulers whilst King Alexander's reply was no less cordial.—Transocean Kuo Min.



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INTERNATIONAL SOCCER

England Beat Wales

London, Sept. 29.

In the first international soccer match of the season, played at Cardiff before a crowd of 50,000 people, England beat Wales by four goals to nil.

England won the toss and Wales opened with a raid which was quickly checked. The English left-wing were early prominent in the game, and in the seventh minute Brook, the outside-left, cleverly gathered the ball and screwed across to Westwood, the inside-left who drew the defence, and pushed the ball to Tilsen, the centre-forward, who easily beat the Welsh goal-keeper.

Matthews scored almost immediately after the restart and then both goalkeepers were subjected to a hectic five minutes during which both sides played great football. Shortly before the end Evans and Hibbs, the England custodian, collided, both being knocked out. Phillips, the outside-right, rushed up and shot, but missed. Evans suffered from slight concussion.

Tilsen scored England's fourth goal in the closing minutes.—Reuter.

HOME RUGGER

London, Sept. 29. The following were the results of rugby matches played to-day: Blackheath 27, Birkenhead P. 12; London Scot. 12, Old Merchant T. 4.

Old Leysians 5, Manchester 19; St. Bart Hosp. 9, Old Blues 3; Bath 0, Harlequins 6; Bedford 11, Richmond 8; Bristol 7, Gloucester 13; Cardiff 12, Pontypool 0; Coventry 22, Guy's Hosp. 0; Crosskeys 9, Swansea 14; Headingley 13, Hartlepool R. 4; Leicester 29, Watford 5; Llanelli 6, Newport 16; Northampton 5, Old Millhillians 5.

Neath 26, Aberavon 11; Plymouth A. 3, Camborne 3; Redruth 11, Devonport Ser. 3; Portsmouth Ser. 3, Rosslyn P. 3; Glasgow Accs. 21, W. O'Scot 5; Heriotians 9, Jedforest 3; Wasps 20, Streatham 0.—Reuter.

PERSIAN FOREIGN MINISTER

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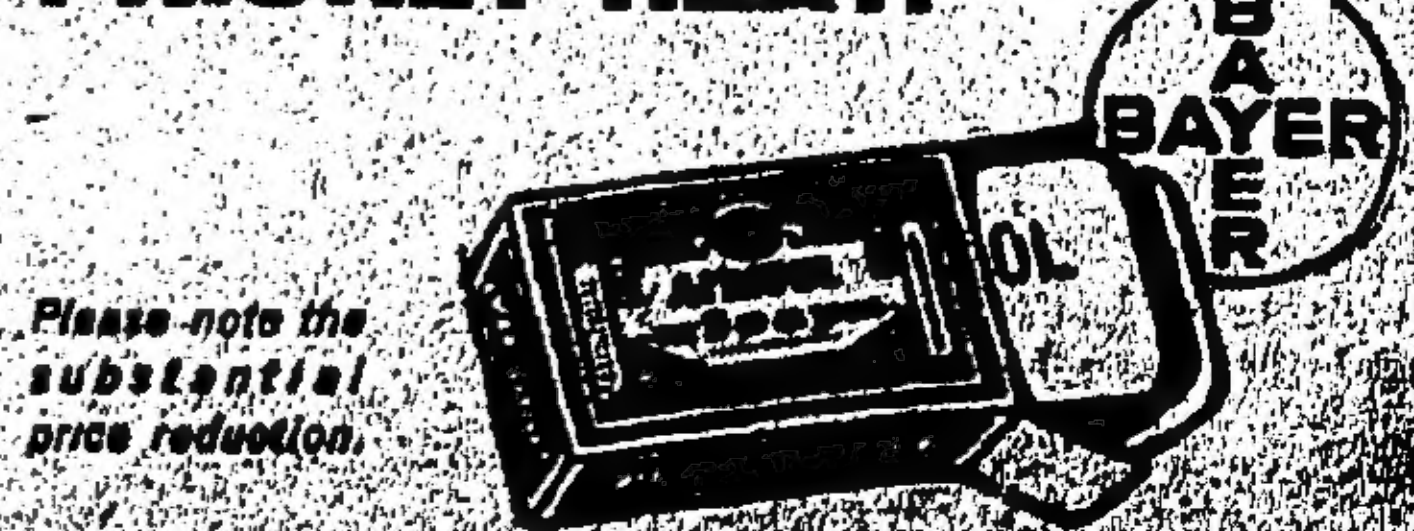
London, Sept. 29. The Persian Foreign Minister, Baghir Khan Kasemi arrived here last night from Geneva and was met at the station by a representative of Sir John Simon.—Transocean Kuo Min.

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FOOTBALL SEASON OPENS

Several Surprises The Feature Of First Day's Games

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

Several surprises were caused on Saturday when the Hour Kong Football League opened, there being several upsets in the first division, the most notable of which was the collapse of St. Joseph's against the Club, when after leading by 4 goals to 1 and with only ten minutes to go, they let the Club beat the clock by netting four goals.

The Lincolns also suffered a very serious reverse at the hands of the South China "B" team which won by the odd goal in three in their debut in local soccer. The much lauded Kowloon team also went under to the Artillery.

The Police shared ten goals with the Athletic in a fairly good game, the wing forwards of both teams being outstanding.

In the Junior Division, the Athletic, former holders of the title swamped Kowloon by half a dozen goals, while the Borderers, holders, were surprisingly held in check by the Eastern, who make their return to local soccer. Each of the teams scored a goal.

A very poor exhibition of football was seen at Caroline Hill where the University and the Club Juniors shared the points.

The Navy started their season well with an easy win over the Young Indians, while the Lincolns had the better of the East Lanes.

Six games were played in the Third Division, the Air Force, the Radio, the Borderers, the R.A.S.C. and the East Lanes recording wins.

The Lincolns, holders of the junior title secured a convincing win over the much augmented Recreio Juniors.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

First Division	
Lincolns	1 South China "B" 2
Artillery	4 Kowloon 1
St. Joseph's	4 Club 5
Police	5 Chinese Athletic 5
Second Division	
Navy	7 Young Indians 3
Kowloon	0 Chinese Athletic 6
Eastern	1 Borderers 1
University	0 Club 0
East Lanes	2 Lincolns 5
Third Division	
R.A.M.C.	0 Air Force 2
Recreio	1 Lincolns 1
Radio	2 Engineers 1
Railway R.C.	0 Borderers 8
R.A.S.C.	4 R.A.O.C. 1
Police	1 East Lanes 2

FIRST DIVISION

SOUTH CHINA "B's" EXCELLENT WIN

The South China "B" eleven which made its initial appearance in the first division of the League on Saturday caused a minor sensation by defeating the Lincolns by the odd goal in three on the Soekunpoo ground.

Although the Regiment took the initiative the Chinese were easily the better team and as it was later proved, it was only a matter of time before South China would take the lead and their first full points.

The Lincolns took the lead shortly after the interval, Malpass taking the ball out of Wong's hands and place it in the net.

This lead was held for only a matter of a minute, for from the restart, South China swept down the field on the left wing, and a clever movement resulted in a well-placed goal.

It was just after this that the Lincolns fell away, and, although they kept the opposing forwards at bay, it was only a matter of time before another goal would be scored. Higgins made some marvellous saves, and when South China did add the second goal through Lee Shek-yau, he had no chance to recover after having pushed the ball out under the bar.

KOWLOON WELL BEATEN

Kowloon's much augmented first eleven suffered a rude shock at the hands of the Royal Artillery on the Club ground on Saturday, when the latter won by 4 goals to 1 in a fairly evenly contested game.

The Knox brothers were the pick of the Kowloon forwards, while Everest was the steadiest of the two backs. The halves were weak and will take time to settle down.

The Artillery played a bustling game and rushed their opponents off their feet, especially in the last minutes of the game when they scored with comparative ease owing to bad marking by the Kowloon halves.

Kowloon had a share of bad luck in the first half of the game. The Gunners' first goal came through a miskick by Eastman in front of goal, and Edmunds scored for the Artillery. Immediately following this the Artillery made a fast run through and Edmunds again found the net.

The Kowloon forwards, however, battled steadily with the Gunners' defence. D. Knox, a newcomer to the team, was on the left wing at times having the opposing defence very busy. Elliott scored the only goal for Kowloon.

Cord again appeared in the Kowloon goal where he appears to have lost none of his last season's skill. The Gunners' forwards were very persistent and proved too good for the opposing full-backs.

The game became very interesting towards the close of the first half when Harris supported by Pardoe made several brilliant attempts to win through, but the Kowloon players put up a stern opposition.

Just before the interval the Gunners marked up their third goal. A fine wing movement gave Knight the ball and a quick pass to Woods resulted in the latter netting the ball with a splendid shot.

Following the rest, Kowloon carried out several dangerous raids on the Gunners, D. Knox giving a grand display on the left wing. Clancy however, was also in top form and cleared well.

The Artillery attack was now vastly superior, though on one occasion the Kowloon side seemed almost certain to add another goal to their credit when Elliott took a penalty kick for a foul. It was a well directed ball, but Durham just managed to effect a save.

Despite every effort on the part of Kowloon, the Artillery enjoyed the best of the encounter from then onwards and Smith added their fourth goal with a smart drive.

POLICE FORCE DRAW

The Police played a spirited game of soccer against the Chinese Athletic at Kowloon on Saturday and after being much in arrears equalised just on time to share 10 goals. The Athletic's long passing was a feature of their game while the Police halves were outstanding in the second half when they repeatedly broke up attacks by the opposing forwards.

The Police pressed hard at the start, but the Athletic quickly settled down, and, with long accurate passes, opened the scoring through a brilliant header by Li Hung Ching.

Green, who played a sparkling game throughout, then equalised. From this point the Athletic played brilliant football, and dominated the game up to the interval. Pile and Blackburn held out gamely, but the Police halves could not hold the fast Athletic forward line, and two more goals followed through Chau Chau Do. Towards the interval Li Hung Ching again scored, giving McHardy no chance.

In the second half the Police seemed to find their feet, and gradually, and noticeably, began to wear the Athletic down. Green again scored, after a characteristic run down the line, his high shot deceiving Lai Kam Ming. Moss, the Police outside right, pleased the crowd with several low passes across the goal-mouth, which were scrambled away from the feet of Channings and Johnston.

From a breakaway, Fung King Yum, again unmarked, scored a fifth goal for the Athletic, the ball appearing to slip through McHardy's hands. This goal was not deserved on the run of the play, but the Police fought back gamely, each man pulling his weight and their reward came when Stephens, dropping the ball beautifully to Green who kicked it into the net.

Moss, after a dash down the line, cut in and shot, the ball hitting the upright. From the rebound, Moss secured again and quickly transferred to Johnston, who made no mistake with a hard low drive.

Excitement was intense, and the Police forwards swarmed round the goal fighting for the equaliser. Time was short when Green passed to Stephens, who kicked ahead past Wong Sun Mo and hustling the goal-keeper off the ball, obtained the equaliser, which was really deserved.

LAST MINUTE RALLY

Thanks to the brilliant efforts of Pote Hunt and Howe, the Club secured a thrilling victory over the St. Joseph's Football Club in their First Division League game at Caroline Hill, when after being three goals in arrears and with only ten minutes to go, the Club resorted to shock tactics and just managed to pull through and record their first League points.

The Saints played inspired football up to ten minutes from time when their keeper went to pieces and let through several easy goals.

The first goal was scored within the first five minutes by Ward, an excellent pass from Fernandez enabling him to score. The second goal came some ten minutes later from Rocha. Gamble missed the ball and in a race across the field, Rocha beat Strange to net. Five minutes from half-time, Fernandez scored St. Joseph's third goal, but Howe reduced the arrears when he bundled Lim and the ball into the net just as the referee blew his whistle for half-time.

Club's Late Rally

St. Joseph's experienced bad luck on many occasions during the second half, but it was not until fifteen minutes from the end that they registered their fourth goal when Ward received a pass from Rocha to give Rodger no chance.

Within a few minutes Pote Hunt scored a fine goal from about 30 yards range, and shortly afterwards Drown sent a fine pass to Howe who did not hesitate with a drive to the bottom of the net. From the centre kick, Pote Hunt sent the ball down the centre, and Howe deflected the ball into the net for the equaliser, and just on time, scored his fourth goal of the game with a perfect drive from just outside the area to give the Club two points.

SECOND DIVISION

LINCOLN'S GOOD RECOVERY

After a poor start in which they allowed the East Lanes to take a lead of two goals, the Lincolns recovered well in their second division game to win the encounter by 5 goals to 3.

Salmon opened the scoring for the East Lanes early in the game and Swaine quickly added another. Evans, however, wiped out the deficit with two nice drives and just before the interval McGinness gave the Lincolns the lead.

Soon after the restart Setler snapped up a chance and netted well clear of Harmsworth while McGinness added two more shortly after. Griffin netted the East Lanes remaining goal.

EASTERN'S GOOD DEBUT

The Eastern Athletic, newcomers to the league held the Borderers to a draw in a fast and keen game at the Valley. Their backs, Lai Ting Choi and Lau Hing Man played a steady game, continually holding up the Borderers' attack.

After the interval the Borderers opened the scoring through Nelson, but, shortly after, the Eastern Athletic equalised, Chung Si Hang received a good pass from the left wing and gave Williams no chance with a well-placed drive.

ATHLETIC JUNIORS WIN

A very scrappy game was seen in the Second Division on Saturday when the Chinese Athletic, former holders of the title, completely outclassed the Kowloon Juniors by six clear goals.

Shortly before the first goal was scored Duffield, Kowloon's inside-left was ordered off the field for allegedly striking an opponent. The Athletic scored their first goal through Au Kim Fung.

Following the half time rest the Kowloon team could only field nine men, Fuxman, their right-back being unable to continue play. This made the work for the Athletic eleven considerably lighter and Boyes was soon under fire. His play was indeed a credit.

Continued efforts on the part of Mok Ping Wah enabled the

LOCAL CRICKET

Owen Hughes Shines

The interport trial match on the Kowloon ground resulted in a win for T. E. Pearce's team over the side led by E. J. R. Mitchell by an innings.

A feature of the game (which lasted one and a half days) was the brilliant all-round form displayed by Harry Owen Hughes who in addition to scoring 88 runs, brought off some beautiful catches in the slips, the one which dismissed Williams in the second innings being exceptionally brilliant.

In addition to Owen Hughes, T. A. Pearce, McInnes and Madar all showed up well with the bat and after the displays by the last two any doubts about their getting a place in the team must be banished. Minu again displayed good form with the ball while Pereira and Garthwaite both proved quite successful.

The scores were:—

E. J. R. Mitchell's XI. 1st innings 53.

T. E. Pearce's XI.	
H. Owen Hughes c and b Redmond	88
H. W. Barnes c Mackay, b Elwin	2
T. A. Pearce, c Millbank, b Redmond	34
C. G. Garthwaite, c Stewart, b Millbank	6
I. McInnes, c and b Redmond	26
A. H. Madar, c and b Elwin	21
T. E. Pearce, c and b Elwin	0
G. R. M. Ricketts, c Redmond, b Elwin	4
F. D. Pereira, c Elwin, b Millbank	6
A. R. Minu, st. Mackay, b Elwin	9
G. S. Dunkly, not out	7
Extras	14
Total	225

1/24, 2/104, 3/126, 4/197, 5/174, 6/175, 7/183, 8/204, 9/210 10/225.

O. M. R. W.	
Millbank	8-43-2
Elwin	16-65-5
Redmond	7-63-3
Duckitt	2-2-2
Stewart	5-29-1
Rumjahn	6-3-9

Rest-2nd Innings

J. P. Williams, c D. Hughes, b Pereira	3
N. A. E. Mackay, b Minu	29
F. Zimmern, c Garthwaite, b Pereira	0
E. F. Fincher, b Pereira	3
E. C. Fincher, c O. Hughes, b Minu	5
E. J. R. Mitchell, b Garthwaite	26
G. A. Stewart, c McInnes, b Minu	3
T. M. L. Redmond, c Barnes, b Minu	2
A. M. Rumjahn, b Garthwaite	0
J. Edwin, b Garthwaite	5
G. A. Millbank, not out	2
Extras	2
Total	80

1/3, 2/7, 3/11, 4/28, 5/56, 6/60, 7/68, 8/72, 9/77, 10/80.

O. M. R. W.	
Garthwaite	7-1-16-3
Pereira	7-2-27-3
Minu	8-2-8-4
T. A. Pearce	2-15-1
Ricketts	4-1-11-

K.C.C. BEAT H.K.C.C.

On their own ground, the Hong Kong Cricket Club engaged the Kowloon Cricket Club in a friendly match on Saturday and lost by seven wickets.

Batting first on a soft pitch the home team was dismissed for 97 runs and the visiting side knocked out 100 after losing only 3 wickets. C. I. Stapleton played a steady innings, contributing 40 runs to the winner total.

NAZARIN AND ISMAIL IN FORM

A practice match was played at the Indian Recreation Club between a team captained by M. P. Madar and an eleven skippered by H. T. Barnes on Saturday when the former team won by 55 runs.

Despite the fine innings by S. A. Ismail who scored 87 runs the rest of the losing team could only add 10 runs to make the total 86.

Madar's team, who batted first, declared at 141 runs for 8 wickets. Nazarin hit up 51 runs (retired).

Scores:—
Mr. M. P. Madar's XI. 141 for 8 dec. (K. Nazarin, 51 rtd., A. R. Sumad 29 rtd., M. P. Madar 24 rtd.)
Mr. H. T. Barnes's XI. 86 (S. A. Ismail 87, A. K. Ismail 3 for 24.

LOCAL YACHTING

Ariel Wins Managerie Race

Ariel defeated Alisa by 13 seconds to win the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's Mixed Class Managerie Race on Saturday, while True Blue beat Wasp II in the "A" Class.

The following are the full results:—

Mixed Classes—Started at 14.45	
Yacht	Corrected Time
Slakin	16.52.57 4/5 3
Ariel	16.50.58 1
Alisa	16.51.11 2
Stella	17.00.05 11
Wings	16.54.58 6
Bluejacket	16.55.24 7
Widgeon	16.54.14 4
Adanac	17.40.58 12
Zephyr	16.58.43 8
Eumelos	16.57.55 9
Sirius	16.58.43 5
Lola	16.54.21 9
"A" Class—Started at 14.30	
Wasp II	16.56.21 2
Jan	17.04.28 5
Isobel	16.57.41 3
Clacada	17.17.35 7
True Blue	16.54.36 1
Pat	16.57.42 4
Painted Lady	17.08.04 6

M. P. Madar 4 for 18.

RECREIO IMPRESSES

The Club de Recreio who will be making their debut this year in the "A" Division league gave an impressive display on Saturday when they trounced the University first XI at King's Park by 7 wickets.

This match was the first one played by the Pokfulam team this season.

Scores:—
University: 81 (E. T. Wood 24, G. A. Guterres 4 for 22)
Recreio: 175 for 7 (W. A. Reed 33 ret., A. Prats 31, E. L. Soares 27, A. P. Guterres 27 ret., H. A. Barros 24 not out.)

SHANGHAI'S TEAM

Shanghai, Sept. 30.
The following have been selected to represent Shanghai against Hong Kong in the interport cricket contest:—

D. W. Leach (Capt.), A. J. Barson H. D. Bidwell, R. Booth, Humphreys, J. A. Isaacs, S. R. Kermani, P. Madar, F. E. T. Marshall, O. G. Simpson, and L. F. Stokes.

The selection of Donald Leach as captain was taken for granted as soon as Hong Kong had accepted Shanghai's invitation to send up a

LEAGUE LAWN BOWLS

FIXTURES COMPLETED ON SATURDAY

K.B.G.C. Juniors Finish Second

The League Lawn Bowls season was completed on Saturday when four matches in the senior division and a same number in the junior, were played. The Craigengower "A" accounted for the Police by the convincing margin of 89 shots to 46 and thus finished the season four points ahead of the Kowloon Bowling Green. In the junior division the Bowling Green also won, to finish second to the Indians.

The results were as follows:—

Senior Division	
C.C.C. "A" (47)	89 Police (63) 46
Recreio (53)	42 K. Dock (44) 52
C.S.C.C. (87)	48 K.C.C. (48) 69
Talkoo (—)	77 C.C.C. (—)
Junior Division	
Police (72)	66 C.C.C. (54) 60
K.C.C. (68)	63 C.S.C.C. (63) 56
S.H.K.Y.C. (67)	54 H.K.E.C. (45) 53
H.K.F.C. (—)	50 K.B.G. (—) 64

RECREIO v. DOCK

In a low scoring game at King's Park, the Kowloon Dock snatched a 3-shot victory from the Club de Recreio. The winners accounted for the home team of two where they led by an aggregate of seven shots. The Portuguese team reduced their four shots making the final result, 52-49 against them.

team and on the whole the selection have met with general approval. With the exception of Bidwell and Humphreys, all the others have played in interport matches. In the trial match last week Bidwell made a century while Stokes scored 92 so that it will be seen that Hong Kong will have a stiff task ahead of them.

TAIKOO ALSO WINS
Another Dock team, Talkoo took full points from Craigengower's "B" team by 77 shots to 52. The visitors to Talkoo proved unequal to the contest, A. A. Lewis' four going down heavily while Brightman went down by 11 shots to Wallace. Cavanagh's team and Chalmers put up a good struggle and the former emerged victorious by 4 shots.

CIVIL SERVICE LOSE

Playing at Home the Civil Service lost to the K.C.G. by seven shots. The visitors won on two out of three rinks Bebbington's four beating Eccleshall's four by ten shots while Fincher added two more by accounting for Hollidge. Jones (C.S.) beat Fraser by five shots.

SECOND DIVISION

Interest in this division lay in the race for second place between the Police and Bowling Green who were both engaged. The latter enjoyed an advantage of one point and as both emerged victorious on Saturday, the Bowling Green finished the season as runner-up. The Police accounted for Craigengower by six shots, while the Bowling Green beat the Footballers by 64 to 50. The Yacht Club accounted for the Electricians by a single shot (54-53) while the K.C.C. playing at home beat the Civil Service by seven shots.

INTERNATIONAL SHIELD MATCH

In one of the semi-finals of the International lawn bowls matches (Gutierrez' Shield) Portugal defeated Switzerland by 28 shots to 21 in a very scrappy game.

Portugal established an early lead but poor bowling saw them often behind and it was only a later rally which brought them into the final.

(Result of Other Matches on Page 11)

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Athletic to add four further goals through Yeung Kau Po (2), Au Kim Fung and finally Mok Ping Wah.

PLAYER ORDERED OFF

Although the Young Indians were leading the Royal Navy by the odd goal in three at the interval of their Second Division game at the Valley on Saturday, the Navy recovered sufficiently well to secure a comfortable victory by 7 goals to 3.

Frayed tempers in the second half of the game led to Glass, the Navy centre forward being ordered off.

A. M. Omar scored two good goals for the Indians early in the game, but Glass reduced the lead shortly before the interval, bustling the goal-keeper, and the ball, into the net.

After the interval two quick goals, by Glass and Burnage gave the Navy the lead. A lucky goal was then scored by Stanley, the ball being deflected into the net by a defender. The best goal of the match was scored by Robinson, from the wing.

For a spell the Young Indians rallied and from a melee Hamet netted.

The remaining two goals were scored for the Navy by Kernick and Chambers.

A GOALLESS DRAW

A very poor game was seen in the Second Division at Caroline Hill on Saturday when the University were forced to a goalless draw by the Hong Kong Club.

Play fluctuated in the first half but although the Varsity were handicapped by the absence of their left winger throughout the second half, they were attacking most of the time and unlucky not to score.

Low and Lee were excellent in the Varsity defence, particularly Low, who cleared in fine style. The half-backs also were excellent, H. N. Lee and Symons, playing a sound game.

Farrow was weak at centre-forward, and the Club would have done better to play him in goal as Payne lacked confidence in his hands, attempting to clear by kicking on numerous occasions.

Binnie the left back played very well and kept the University attack at bay. Nicholls played well at centre-half and was well supported by McKellar and Bitter.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

SOUTH CHINA "A" v. S.W.B.

Before a very large crowd at Sookunpoo yesterday, the South Wales Borderers, last year's champions, went down to South China "A" by five goals to two.

The Chinese turned up their strongest side available while the Borderers were without the services of Hazlewood and Duncan but Herbert and Searle in their place respectively proved worthy substitutes.

From the commencement, the Chinese were attacking strongly and within ten minutes were two goals up both scored, by Fung King Cheung. Despite this reverse the Borderers fought back strongly and soon reduced the lead. Fortey scoring with a "header" from a centre by Searle. At this stage of the game play was mostly on the Chinese half and before long the soldiers equalised through Mathias.

The second half started with the Chinese having the better of the game. They combined with perfect understanding and within a short time regained their lead through Tam Kong Pak. The Borderers appeared to have slackened both in attack and in defence, and the Chinese taking advantage of this and at the same time playing good football added two more goals before the final whistle sounded. In Pak Wan being the scorer on both occasions.

RECREO V. EAST LANCES

Club de Recreo drew with the East Lances on their own ground yesterday, each team obtaining two goals. Recreo started off strongly, but A.V. Gosano was erratic in shooting, missing and spoiling several opportunities. After this, the soldiers came into the picture with several dangerous raids, one of them resulting in Woods scoring with a beautiful header.

Recreo tried hard for an equaliser and they were rewarded after ten minutes when Goffies scored.

After the interval the soldiers took up the offensive and Woods

HONG KONG OUTPLAYED

Shanghai Win Interport
Polo

The Interport was postponed from Saturday until Monday. Suddenly, on Sunday morning it was decided to play it the same afternoon. The reason was the fact that No. 1 Typhoon Signal had been hoisted and with the very limited time at the disposal of the Shanghai team it was feared that the rain which usually follows these unpleasant manifestations of the weather would make it impossible to play the Interport match before the Shanghai team returned home.

The programme was originally intended to start with a parade of the ponies at 4.40 p.m. but as several people were rather late this was done away with. The match, of six chukkas, began at 5.5 p.m.

From the Club Chukkas which our Shanghai visitors had played before this game it seemed that Shanghai was a trifle better mounted than the Colony side. In particular, the long game of Sutterle at back, and the accurate hitting of Judge Franklyn were impressive.

The teams lined up as follows:

SHANGHAI

Back: Sutterle
3—John Keswick
2—Franklyn
1—Andrews

HONG KONG

Back: Newbiggin
3—Jordan
2—Tony Keswick
1—Yates

On Friday night Mr. Macnamara gave a resume of the history of the Polo Club and went into the prospects of the game. It is understood that on Tuesday night Captain C. F. Blackden of the South Wales Borderers is going to broadcast from Z.B.W. his impressions of the game.

THE GAME

There was only a small crowd watching the match owing to the extremely short notice which was necessarily given to those concerned. The umpires were W. Stanton Esq., and Col. Nosworthy. Nigel Metcalfe, of the Royal Artillery acted as time keeper.

First Chukka

The throw in went through the bunch and Newbiggin hit strongly up the field. T. Keswick picked up the pass which was, however, saved by Franklyn. J. Keswick then made a long shot from the board which was saved by T. Keswick. Half way through the chukka, Andrews centered and Sutterle scored a grand goal for Shanghai.

They did not waste time. From the throw in Franklyn gave a pass to J. Keswick from which he had no difficulty in scoring a goal.

Yates picked up the throw in and centered nicely but T. Keswick missed goal. Soon after this T. Keswick was badly fouled and a 60 yard hit was awarded. It was a pity, as a goal was certain for Hong Kong at this point. The chukka ended in a rush towards the Hong Kong goal which was stopped by Newbiggin.

Score, Shanghai 2, Hong Kong 0

Second Chukka

From the hit out Newbiggin was badly fouled, but he missed a 40 yard hit and the ball returned up the field. Apart from brilliant defensive play by J. Keswick this chukka was dull. After a few minutes of clumsy midfield play Andrews hit a clever goal under his horse's neck. Until the end of this chukka Shanghai pressed.

Score, Shanghai 3, Hong Kong 0

Third Chukka

Yates got away from the throw in but Sutterle cleared. Soon after this T. Keswick hit the ball up to Yates who scored a brilliant goal with a neat side fore-hander. Shanghai then took command of the game, but missed innumerable easy goals. Just before the bell Yates failed to score from a good pass by Jordan.

Score, Shanghai 3, Hong Kong 1

Fourth Chukka

Hong Kong appeared refreshed by the interval, and after some good passing work by T. Keswick, Yates scored a goal in this chukka. Hong Kong appeared all over the visitors, but they held their own when Franklyn scored a long and accurate goal from a pass by J. Keswick.

Score, Shanghai 5, Hong Kong 2

Fifth Chukka

The light was now getting very bad, after a fine pass by Jordan Newbiggin hit the goal post. T. Keswick picked the ball up on the re-bound but the shot went high and wide. Later in the chukka Yates and J. Keswick successively missed easy goals.

Score, Shanghai 5, Hong Kong 2

Sixth Chukka

By this time the light was frankly awful. T. Keswick made

regained the lead for his side with a nice shot. Despite this reverse, the Recreo continued to press and after several attempts at goal, succeeded in equalising, again through Goffies.

a big effort from the start, but failed to score with an under the neck shot. After the hit out Shanghai made a run up the field and Sutterle cut the ball from the off side of his pony with a brilliant back hand shot to score the goal of the afternoon. Up and down play followed, ending in J. Keswick taking the ball the length of the ground and scoring a fine goal from 60 yards distance.

COMPARISONS

Comparisons, although odious, force one to confess that the Colony was beaten by a better riding, better hitting, better mounted team.

Their combination and passing was surprisingly good, and their hitting was long and accurate. J. Keswick was outstandingly the best player, but Sutterle in a less showy position did yeoman service.

For Hong Kong Newbiggin was in a class by himself. The whole side acquitted themselves remarkably well considering the difficulties they have had to contend with. But it must be confessed that their shooting and team work left much to be desired. They were not out-classed either in play or in ponies, but the Shanghai players and ponies were always just a shade better than those of the Colony.

BROTHERS AS RIVALS

Before Lady Peel presented the prizes His Excellency made a short speech about the game. He congratulated Shanghai upon their victory. "I think it is usual" he said, "to console with the losers, I do not propose to do so. They had what is described as a good game and they themselves will admit that they were beaten by a better side."

His Excellency continued by saying that this was the last time that a match would be played on the Causeway Bay ground. He hoped that the fact that the new ground was on the other side of the water would not affect the Polo playing members of the fraternity. He added that he hoped on some future occasion to see the brothers Keswick playing with instead of against each other and he was sure that the younger Keswick would be telling his brother to come to Shanghai and learn about Polo. This was particularly important because a son of the donor of the cup was playing on either side.

After this speech Lady Peel presented the Keswick cup and small token cups to each member of the Shanghai side. All those present concluded by giving her three hearty cheers.

"IN CONCLUSION"

In conclusion, one can only point out that Hong Kong hit the ball behind twelve times to Shanghai's nine; that in the first chukka Hong Kong was certain of a goal when they were unfortunately fouled; and that in the fifth chukka Hong Kong three times missed an easy goal. In my opinion, this was because their No. 1 was playing a pony which was far too slow for this type of polo.

Shanghai were better, man for man, they had more efficient combination. And last but not least, their ponies though smaller, and perhaps not so fast, were much nippier on the turn, and showed evidences of better training.

But I think that Hong Kong put up an extremely fine show. The score does not entirely represent the run of the game. I congratulate both sides on a fast, clean game.

TRAINING GALLOPS

Some Interesting Work On
The Course

(BY "MORNING DEW")

Interest in Saturday's gallops were intensified by the appearance of the handicaps and entries for the next race meeting. Soldier of Britain and Diana Bay two challengers of Trentbridge in the Double-Tenth Plate were both sent out on slow work. Both appeared to be exceptionally fit and a rattling good race with Trentbridge is assured.

Another interesting gallop is that of Tiny Star. This candidate was also given light work but as he is quite a good sub, his next tryout will be interesting.

Flying Tourist is impressive and it will not be long before he catches the judge's eye. Racing Fluke is another who will soon win again while Wayward Stay is moving very well also.

Of the Australians, The Goose appears to be in top-top condition. Just that wound up a good gallop with a strong burst of speed and Racing Heart's 126.5 over six furlongs is a noteworthy achievement.

The following times were clocked on Saturday:—

Soldier of Britain	14	39	1.13	1.47.4	2.20.3	2.50.4	30.1
Monoplane and							
Flying Tourist	4	37	1.09.3	1.40			30.2
High Speed	4	38	1.15	1.45			30
St. Joan	14	41	1.20.2	1.57.4	2.35.3	3.07.4	32.1
Glorious Star	1	39	1.14.3	1.50	2.22		32
Woodland Stag	1	36.3	1.10.1	1.42.3	2.12.3		30
Wonderful Stag	1	37.3	1.12.2	1.46	2.15		29
Soldier of Germany	11	40.4	1.20.1	1.56.3	2.31.2	3.02.1	30.4
Bag Tor	1	37.2	1.15	1.52	2.20		28
Copper Idol	1	41.3	1.27.3	2.02.3	2.34		31.2
Diana Bay	1	46	1.30.3	2.12.3	2.47.2		34.4
Racing Heart	1	23.3	58.2	1.26.3			28.1
Just That	14	44.2	1.24	1.59	2.32	2.59.4	27.4
Glencagles	14	45	1.24.3	2.05	2.43.4	3.18	34.1
Bobbiak Star	14	45	1.32	2.10.4	2.50.4	3.26.1	35.2
Mayflower	14	41.4	1.21	1.59	2.32.3	3.04.2	31.4
In Good Time	1	47.4	1.35.2	2.20.4	2.58.3		35.2
Wayward Stag	1	49.2	1.27	2.18.2	2.48.3		30.1
Vago, and Racing							
Triumph	14	40	1.17	1.51.4	2.28.2	2.57.4	31.2
Daylight Eve, and							
Spingway	1	34	1.07.3	1.40.3	2.12.2		31.4
Night Star	14	39.3	1.16.3	1.51	2.26.2	3.00	35.3
Chow Fan	1	38.3	1.18.3	1.54.1	2.27		30.4
Macaroni	4	42	1.20	1.53.2			35.2
Chesterfield	4	39.4	1.18	1.52.3			34.3
Beta, and Surprise	1	38.3	1.13.2	1.47	2.19		32
Ribble	4	39.2	1.17	1.48			31
Ronides, and							
Cavalcade	14	37.3	1.12	1.47	2.21	2.53	32
Racing Fluke, and							
West Parade	1	42.1	1.17.3	1.50	2.22.1		32.1
Fudge	1	40.1	1.16	1.50.1	2.22.3		32.2
Shanghaun, and							
Burgomaster	1	41	1.19.4	1.57.4	2.30.4		33
Tiny Star	1	40.4	1.18	1.53.4	2.29		35.1
Mutiny Bay	1	34.2	1.07	1.39.3	2.09.2		29.4
Sadko	1	38.2	1.16	1.49	2.20		31
Great Hall	1	40	1.16.2	1.52.3	2.24		31.2
Bold Commander, and Sarabande	1	45	1.18.2	1.51.4	2.24		32.1
Gladiator	4	33.4	1.15.4	1.48.4			33
Brechin	1	43.1	1.23.2	2.11.1	2.45.2		34.1
Glad Eyes	14	43.1	1.23.2	—	2.38	3.10	34
Antamok	1	46	1.28.1	2.00.3	2.31.4		31.1
The Tiger	14	44	1.28	—	2.32	3.02.2	30.2
Empire Day	1	20.1	1.02.3	1.40	2.07.2		27.2
Racing Boy	14	40	1.18.2	1.53	2.28	2.59.2	31.2
Lemberg	1	41	1.20	1.55.1	2.27		33.4
Chivalrous	1	45	1.29	2.14	2.52.3		38.3
Vigilance	4	37.4	1.14	1.46			32
Don, and Soldier of China	14	39.3	1.14	1.47	2.19.2	2.50.2	31
Budge	2	39	1.13.2	1.35.1			30.4
Helter Skelter	4	38.1	1.12.2	1.35			32.2
Classic Hall	1	39.2	1.15.4	1.54.4	2.27.4		33
No Fear	14	44	1.26	—	2.48	3.19.4	31.4
The Grange	14	40	1.19	1.50.1	2.19.4	2.48	28.1
Key for and							
St. Ives	1	46.2	1.28.3	2.05	2.35.2		30.2
The Goose	1	33.2	1.06	1.37.4	2.05.3		27.4
Zeta	4	36	1.11.4	1.43.3			31.4
Colombo, Heart's Glory and Racing Spirit	14	35.2	1.11.1	1.48.4	2.19.4	2.52.2	32.2
Delightful Chance and							
Sincerely Yours	14	38.2	1.18.2	1.58	2.29	3.02	33
Lucy Glitters	4	39.4	1.03	1.33.3			30.2

ENGLAND WINS

One Sided Bowls

England met and defeated Ireland yesterday in the International Bowls semi-final played at the Civil Service Ground.

The Irish side was slow to start and England soon established a long lead. A "five" in the eighth end gave them a lead of 10-3 and by the tenth end they had gone further forwards the score then reading 19-3.

At the fourteenth end England led 16-3 and the game looked like being all over when Ireland scored 18-13. Thereafter the match was more even but England went forward again and by scoring a "four" in the last end came away victorious by 25-13.

Grumley and Bradbury were in great form in the English team, while for the Irish Cavanagh played a good game.

The teams were as follows: England: Ed. Peck, E. Best, A. Grumley and B.W. Bradbury (skip).

FRIENDLY CRICKET

In a friendly cricket match played on the Navy ground, King's Park, yesterday, the Machine Gun Company of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps defeated the Anzac Company by an innings and 24 runs.

Battling first the Anzac Company were all out for the meagre total of 32 runs, J. R. Hunter being top scorer. W. K. Robinson took five wickets for 16 runs.

The Machine Gunners replied with 104 for 7 wickets declared, J. W. Fyfe Hunt 36 and C. L. Gregory 17 not out.

The Anzacs were again all out for the meagre total of 43 runs, Hunter once more being top scorer. A Jackson took 4 Anzac wickets for 23.

Ireland: Lumpy, Lockhart, Belling and Cavanagh (skip).

NEWS FROM CHINA

CANTON NEWS
AND NOTES

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Sept. 30.

Two officials sent by the Kwangtung Provincial Government to investigate the charges of corruption and graft of the Chungshan Model County administration, of which Mr. Tang Shao Yi is magistrate, are to-day preparing a report on their findings. They recently made a visit to Tong Ka Wan and investigated conditions on the spot.

In view of the investigation into his administration, Mr. Tang will not come to Canton until the findings are made known to him. However, high officials here have urged Mr. Tang to come to Canton at once to resume his duties in the South-west Political Council and assured Mr. Tang that nothing serious has happened.

Canton has given plenty of free advice to the Central Authorities on foreign policy, and since Mr. Tang is the only member of the South-west Political Council who has training and experience in foreign affairs, his presence here is greatly sought.

Another Propaganda Daily

A new Chinese paper will shortly appear to boost the cause of the South-west and its high-sounding policies. The new paper will be edited by Mr. Chang Wan Liang, resident representative here of General Wang Chia Lieh, Chairman of the Kweichow Provincial Government.

Several high government organs here have promised to subsidize the new venture while General Wang Chia Lieh will give a monthly sum in order to make known the many reconstruction plans of Kweichow Province. Canton already has three government papers, while an English language paper is benefited by a handsome subsidy.

Exports To Indo-China

Merchants having business relations with Indo-China have asked the City Chamber of Commerce to telegraph to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs urging the prompt signature of a new Sino-French commercial treaty concerning the rights and privileges of Chinese in Indo-China.

Owing to high import tariff in Indo-China, the export of Chinese goods to that French colony has been decreased by sixty per cent. in recent years. The proposed treaty restricts the increase of colonial tariff at pleasure.

SWATOW NOTES

The Talkies Arrive!

The weather seems to have changed, and during the last week we have been having that ideal weather for which Swatow is, or ought to be famous during the months September to January.

The change to cooler weather has practically brought to a close the "Mau" season, most of the summer residents having returned to Swatow.

The past Summer has Mau even more of a resort than in previous years, and the question for the future will be where to erect any more mattheds.

The long awaited "Talkie Outfit" ordered by the Customs Club arrived last week, and members and their friends were treated to a gala week-end, in that, there were shows both on Saturday and Sunday evenings.

Saturday's showing was "Hips Hips Hooray" with the formidable Wheeler and Wolsey in the leading roles.

Sunday's picture was "Carnival Boy," a thrilling story centred in a lumber camp.

Both programmes were enjoyed by what were probably the largest gatherings of the foreign community in several years.

We feel that the Community owes a great deal to Mr. P. J. Stoneman (Secretary of the Customs Club) and his fellow Committee Members, for their initiative in bringing real movies to Swatow which can be both seen and heard.

It is hoped that all foreigners in the Port will show their appreciation by attending every picture possible, and thus help the Club Committee to reduce what was a

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GERMAN SHARE MARKET

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Berlin, Sept. 29.
The share market was somewhat buoyant on Friday as difficulties in connection with the monthly and quarterly settlements have been overcome. Prices are firmer all round.

The outlook is brighter owing to the report that the consumption of electricity is greater. Fixed interest securities have hardly altered and gold mortgage bonds are tending to improve.

Call Money 4 3/8 to 4 5/8. Young Loan 95 on Thursday but unquoted today. Reichsbank improved 1/2 to 149 5/8. Dye Trusts 1/2 firmer at 144 7/8. Salzwedder Putsch rose 1/2 to 153 1/2. German Steel Trusts improved 3/8 to 41 1/8. German Mineral Oils declined 5/8 to 113. Siemens 14 better at 48 1/2 and Siemens-Hyatt declined 1/2 to 32 1/2.

Transocean Kuo Min.

the group of special police, severely wounding eight of them, four of whom have since died from their injuries.

Atmosphere Tense
Since this incident took place three or four days ago, the atmosphere has been very tense. Formosans open fire from doors and windows on every policeman who looms in sight of his place of business, while the arrest of Chinese assistants is still continuing. Chinese special police go about in plain clothes, search them out and arrest them. Nationalist soldiers have been assisting the police in maintaining order in the streets, several of them standing guard on street crossings with drawn revolvers. Two or three police have been reported wounded in revolver duels with owners of the dens, but so far only one Formosan has been reported as wounded. It is believed, however, that others have suffered injuries. It has been reported from official sources that the twelve Chinese who were executed were bad men (communists) who had taken refuge in these places.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

Silver prices at 22 7/16 for Ready and 22 9/16 for Forward were 1/16 and 1/8 up respectively. India as well as speculators operated on both sides of the market. The closing tone was steady with indications of inquiries for accounts of India.

Sterling opening in New York at 4.97 and closed at 4.96 1/2.

Market
The tone was somewhat uncertain at the opening but the market was little prepared for the debacle which followed when rates melted away following Shanghai. There were rumours in Shanghai in reference to China and Gold Standard and the protest to America against the rise in price of Silver; but the weakness there is probably more attributable to speculative covering for delivery on the 1st of October.

Sterling
Was quoted at the opening at 1/7 17/32 sellers, 1/7 19/32 buyers. 1/7 17/32 was done early and shortly after the market melted away. Business was done at the following declining rates: 1/7 17/32, 1/7 13/32, 1/7 13/32, 1/7 5/16 for various deliveries. The market closed with sellers at 1/7 5/16 and buyers at 1/7 1/8. There were no sellers at 1/7 11/32.

U.S. Dollars
Were offered at the opening at 40 1/2 with buyers at 40 1/2 resulting in October business at 40 7/16 December and subsequently 40 1/2, 40 5/16, 40 1/2 and 40 1/2, closing with sellers at 40 and buyers at 40 1/2.

Shanghai Dollars
110 3/16.
Shanghai Market
Sterling opened at 1/5 11/16 for near and forward and a late rise placed the market at 1/5 1/2. Dollars were quoted at 36 1/2 and 36 11/16 for near and forward and declined to 36 3/16 and 36 1/2. The market was weak.

WAR IN FOOCHOW STREETS

Hand Grenade Kills
Four Specials

Foochow, Sept. 14.
Foochow has been enjoying a war all of her own during the past few days in which there have been rather heavy casualties. The outcome it is difficult to determine, at present, while the ultimate consequences may be very far reaching.

It happens that there are several hundred Japanese subjects from Formosa living Foochow, and it seems that a goodly number of them derive their living from operating combined gambling and opium dens. In fact, all such places of business in Foochow are operated by these Formosans, who have enjoyed the protection of the Japanese Consulate for many years while carrying on their nefarious business. Recently an order was issued ranking to the effect that owners of all opium and gambling dens in Foochow were to secure a special permit to operate from the national government, or their places of business would be closed. The Formosans, of course, ignored this order and continued as before.

The local authorities were ordered to take steps against these law-breakers, but how to proceed was a difficult question. Police have arrested Formosans heretofore and taken them to the Japanese Consulate, only to have the culprits dismissed without fine or punishment. In this case the police determined to strike at the offenders through their Chinese assistants, whom, it appears, are very necessary adjuncts to the smooth operating.

Formosans Retaliate
On September 2 the police raided one of the largest and arrested twelve Chinese helpers, took them outside the West Gate and shot them. This infuriated the Japanese subjects whose special privileges were being thus rudely disturbed, and as they retaliated by hurling a hand grenade at the next firing party which was preparing to take a second den a few days later. The bomb burst in

(Continued on Previous Col.)

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)			
On	Sterling Parity	Sept. 28	Sept. 29
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.25 1/2	7.26
Athens	375 Drachmas	515 S.	515 S.
Belgrade	270.216 Dinars	214	
Berlin	30.40 Marks	12.27 1/2	12.25
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	1/8 1/16	1/8 1/16
Brussels	35 Belgas	21.07	21.07
Bucharest	813.968 Lei	491	493
Buenos Aires	47.56d. per Peso	36 1/2 S.O.	36 1/2 S.O.
Copenhagen	18.16d. Kroner	22.40	22.40
Geneva	25.25d. Francs	15.07 1/2	15.09
Hankow	193.23 Marks	226 1/2	226 1/2
Hongkong		1/7 1/8	1/7 1/8
Lisbon	110 Escudos	110 1/2	
Madrid	25.22d. Pesetas	36	36 3/84
Milan	92.46 Lire	57 13/32	57 7/16
Montevideo	50.86d. per Peso	39 1/2 S.O.	39 1/2 S.O.
Montreal	4.967 Dollars	4.84	4.83 1/2
New York	4.967 Dollars	4.86 1/2	4.88 1/2
Oso	15.15d. Kroner	19.90 1/2	19.90 1/2
Paris	194.21 Francs	74 21/32	74 23/32
Prague	184.25 Kronen	118 1/2	
Rio de Janeiro	28.53d. per Gold Milreis	4 1/2 S.O.	4 1/2 S.O.
Shanghai		1/5 1/2	1/5 9/16
Stockholm	18.15d. Kroner	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Vancouver	34.56d. Schillings	26 1/2	26 1/2
Yokohama	24.56d. per Yen	1/2 5/16	1/2 3/32
Silver (spot)		22 1/2	
Silver (forward)		22 7/16	
War Loan	7 1/2%	3 1/4 105 9/16	

Closing Quotations

September 29, 1934	
ON LONDON:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	1/7 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1/7 1/2
Bank Bills, 1 month	1/7 1/2
Credit, four months	1/7 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:—	
On Demand	106 1/2
On Sight	106 1/2
ON JAPAN:—	
On Demand	136 1/2
ON INDIA:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	108 1/2
Bank, on demand	108 1/2

ON NEW YORK:—	
Bank Bills, on demand 30%	
Credit, 60 days' sight, 4 1/2%	
ON HAWAII:—	
On demand	57 1/2
ON PARI:—	
Bank Bills, on demand 600	
Credit, 4 months' sight 600	
ON SAIGON:—	
On demand	60
ON MANILA:—	
On demand	79 1/2
ON BANGKOK:—	
On demand	116 1/2
Sovereigns, Bank Buying	
Rate	1/7 1/2
Bank Silver, per oz.	22 7/16

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The demand for Land Debentures and other investment securities continued without attracting sellers. Amongst the lower priced stocks China Lights were difficult to obtain either for cash or forward deliveries. Ewos have eased off changing hands at \$H.110.

SALES
Hotels, \$5.45.
H. K. Trams, \$20.20.

BUYERS
Benguet Exploration, 19 cts.
Big Wedge, 10 cts.
Providentia (old), \$11
Salacot, 16 cts.
H. K. Lands, \$50.
H. K. Lands, 4% Debentures 3% Prem.
Realities, \$4 1/2.
H. K. Trams, \$20.
China Lights (old), \$8.50.
China Lights (new), \$8.40.
Electric, \$7 1/2.
Telephones (new), \$11.
Singapore Traction 5/-
Singapore Traction (Pref), 18/-
Cements, \$2 1/2.
Dairy Farms, \$2 1/2.
Construction (new), 78 cts.
Govt. Loan (4%), 7 1/2% Prem.
Govt. Loan (3 1/2%), 8 1/2% Prem.

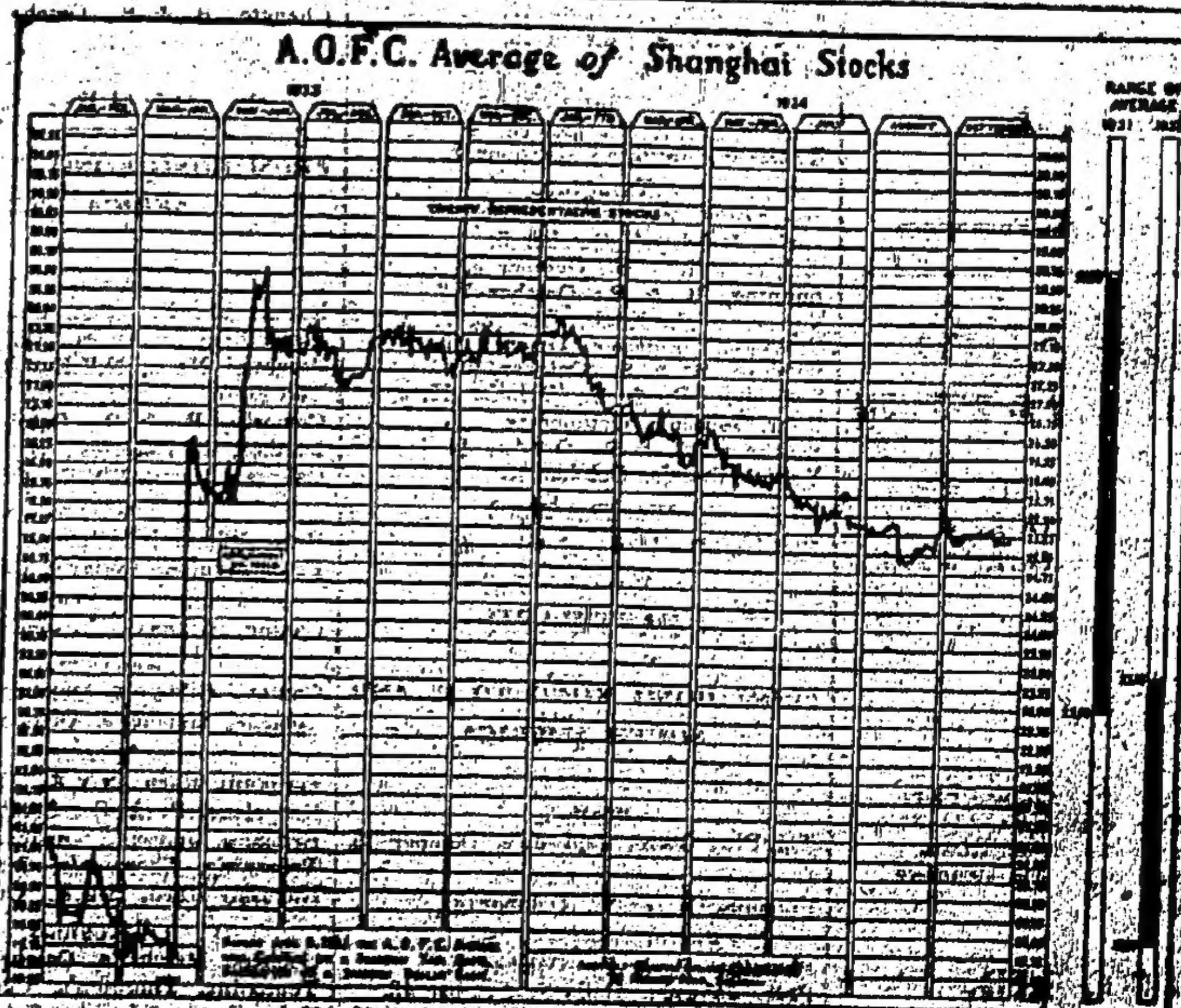
SELLERS
Ewo Cottons, \$H.110.20.
Sandakan Lights, \$8.

SHANGHAI MARKET COMMENT

The Stock Market had a quiet and steady opening last Tuesday, but later in the day trading became more active with a good demand for Chemors and Senawangs at advancing rates. The general market displayed little change in rates or in the volume of business passing. On Saturday the local rubber shares market continued to rule very steady. A few shares were offered at current rates but buyers hesitated to raise the limits without a lead from the primary markets. The most important items on the general market included 2,000 Expiration at 5.05 September, 1,000 at 5.10 October, 500 Trams "B" at 40.50 cash and 200 Chinese Import & Export Lumber at 15 cash. There was a certain decline noticeable in the rubber share market on the following day due to a drop in the raw commodity markets of London, New York and Singapore, and despite the fact that there was no pressure to sell rates were a little off from the best. There was a little more business passing the general market with little change in rates. The rubber market was irregular on Friday on the squaring of accounts for the September settlement which is going to take place on Thursday, September 27. The October position was firm with a good demand for all shares. Changes on the general market were insignificant with the exception of Ewos which encountered a decline of 20 cents on the day. The feature

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)
Berlin, Sept. 28.
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Paris 608.70
Amsterdam 59.19
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(Dollar) 15.05
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Pres. Van Buren... Nov. 10, 8 a.m.
Pres. Garfield... Nov. 24, 8 a.m.
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29th September, 1934. [2877]

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SWATOW, SHANGHAI & Tientsin	... "SINKIANG" ...	On 2nd Oct., 3 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	... "TAIYUAN" ...	On 3rd Oct., 5 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, Tientsin, & Hainan	... "HOIHOW" ...	On 4th Oct., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOY & SHANGHAI	... "KINNGAN" ...	On 5th Oct., 3 p.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	... "KWANGTUNG" ...	On 6th Oct., 3 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	... "KAYING" ...	On 7th Oct., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & Tientsin	... "SUNNING" ...	On 7th Oct., 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, Dairen & Newchwang	... "TRAN" ...	On 7th Oct., 5 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	... "ANSHUN" ...	On 8th Oct., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & Tientsin	... "SUIYANG" ...	On 10th Oct., 3 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	... "TSINAN" ...	On 10th Oct., 5 p.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	... "FOOCHOW" ...	On 12th Oct., 3 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	... "KLONGOW" ...	On 14th Oct., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & Tientsin	... "SZECHUEN" ...	On 14th Oct., 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, Dairen & Newchwang	... "TAMING" ...	On 14th Oct., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, Dairen & Newchwang	... "HUNAN" ...	On 18th Oct., 3 p.m.
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Haiyang, Douglas, October 9.

Tainan, B. & S., October 10.

Kut Sang, Jardine's, October 18.

Chiao.

Hoishow, B. & S., October 4.

Kwai-sang, Jardine's, October 7.

Dairen.

Chinhua, B. & S., October 1.

Santia, Melchers, October 3.

Kwai-sang, Jardine's, October 7.

Tainan, B. & S., October 7.

Ruh, Jebson's, October 13.

Tainan, B. & S., October 14.

Main, Jebson's, October 18.

Duisburg, Jebson's, October 25.

Fochow.

Chinhua, B. & S., October 1.

Haiching, Douglas, October 2.

Hoishow, B. & S., October 4.

Hai Ning, Douglas, October 5.

Kwai-sang, Jardine's, October 7.

Tainan, B. & S., October 7.

Haiyang, Douglas, October 9.

Tainan, B. & S., October 14.

JAPAN (Direct).

Sui Sang, Jardine's, October 2.

Ixion, B. & S., October 3.

Kut Sang, Jardine's, October 18.

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Chinhua, B. & S., October 1.

Tainan, B. & S., October 7.

Tainan, B. & S., October 14.

Otaru.

Achilles, B. & S., October 8.

Shanghai and Japan.

Gertrude Maersk, Jebson's, October 1.

Chinhua, B. & S., October 3.

Santia, Melchers, October 3.

Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., October 4.

Rajputana, P. & O., October 4.

Santia, B.I. (Apar), October 4.

Bhutan, P. & O., October 4.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., October 5.

Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, October 6.

Peru, Manners, October 8.

Porthos, Messageries, October 8.

Glanus, B. & S., October 10.

Pres. Grant, A. M. Line, October 12.

Ruh, Jebson's, October 14.

Tatsumi, B. & S., October 17.

Main, Jebson's, October 18.

Tigre, Thoresen's, October 18.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., October 19.

Chenonceaux, Messageries, October 21.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, October 23.

Duisburg, Jebson's, October 25.

Nankin, Gilman's, October 25.

Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, October 25.

Nora Maersk, Jebson's, October 30.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.

Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 29.

Chinhua, B. & S., October 3.

Fook Shing, Jardine's, October 3.

Sinkiang, B. & S., October 3.

Hai Ning, Douglas, October 5.

Kingyuan, B. & S., October 5.

Helios, Thoresen's, October 7.

Kwai-sang, Jardine's, October 7.

Sunning, B. & S., October 7.

Yuen-sang, Jardine's, October 7.

Anshun, B. & S., October 8.

Kaying, B. & S., October 8.

Haiyang, Douglas, October 9.

Norviken, Jardine's, October 10.

Suiyang, B. & S., October 10.

Tainan, B. & S., October 10.

Sarpodon, B. & S., October 13.

Szechuen, B. & S., October 13.

Hermod, Thoresen's, October 14.

Tainan, B. & S., October 14.

Asama, Maru, N.Y.K., October 31.

Swatow.

Kwangchow, B. & S., October 1.

Haiching, Douglas, October 2.

Sui Shing, Jardine's, October 3.

Sinkiang, B. & S., October 3.

Hoishow, B. & S., October 4.

Hai Ning, Douglas, October 5.

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Tainan, B. & S., October 14.

Asama, Maru, N.Y.K., October 31.

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Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, October 18.

Chichibu, Maru, N.Y.K., October 3.

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Hiram, Thoresen's, October 14.

Helios, Thoresen's, October 21.

Hermod, Thoresen's, October 28.

Batavia.

Tijbadak, J. C. J. Line, October 2.

Phenias, B. & S., October 8.

Tijbadak, J. C. J. Line, October 9.

Brisbane.

Changte, B. & S., October 19.

Bromo.

Philoctetes, B. & S., October 3.

Changte, B. & S., October 19.

Cairns.

Philoctetes, B. & S., October 3.

Changte, B. & S., October 19.

Derby.

Philoctetes, B. & S., October 3.

Fremantle.

Philoctetes, B. & S., October 3.

Haiphong.

Kwangtung, B. & S., October 5.

Yochow, B. & S., October 12.

Hanoi.

Kwangtung, B. & S., October 5.

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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From October 1, to 7, 1934.

High Water. Low Water.

Day of Week	Date	Time	Height	Time	Height
Mon.	1	h. m.	6.5	h. m.	10.34
Tues.	2	02 34	6.3	11 36	2.2
Wed.	3	04 17	6.1	12 21	2.2
Thur.	4	05 52	6.1	13 03	2.1
Fri.	5	06 54	6.2	13 32	2.3
Sat.	6	07 43	6.6	14 01	2.9
Sun.	7	08 35	6.7	14 30	2.2

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, Sept. 30.

Previous On Date On Date

Day at 4 p.m. 10 a.m. at 4 p.m.

Barometer. 29.7. 29.7. 29.63

Temperature. 78. 8. 88.1

Humidity. 78. 78. 70

Wind. Direction. SSW. NNE. NE

Force. 2. 2. 2

Weather. B. C. O. P. C.

Rain. 1.00. 0.00. 0.1

Highest open-air Temperature. 29.87

Lowest open-air Temperature. 20.79

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; J=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

W. H. E. THOMAS, Acting Manager.

Hong Kong, Feb. 11th, 1934.

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Special Working Capital 50,000,000 Frs.

Reserves 33,352,000 Frs.

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Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted. Correspondents throughout the World.

A. L. BRUSSET, Acting Manager.

Hong Kong, 1st August, 1934.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED.

Authorized Capital \$10,000,000

Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000

Reserve and Undivided Profits 2,434,000

HEAD OFFICE: HONG KONG, No. 12, Des Voeux Road, Central.

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Kao Tong Po, Esq., Chief Manager. Li Te Fong, Esq., Manager.

Branches and Agencies: Amoy, Batavia, Bangkok, Borneo, Calcutta, Canton, Cebu, Colombo, Dairen, Fookchow, Haiphong, Hankow, Harbin, Hongkong, Kowloon, London, Lyons, Malacca, Manila, Peking, Shanghai, Singapore, Soerabaya, Tientsin, Yokohama.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and Foreign Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

Safe Deposit Boxes To Let.

KAN TONG PO, Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 1st March, 1934.

THE BANK OF CHINA

Reorganized October 26, 1928, under special charter of the National Government as an INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK.

Subscribed Capital \$20,000,000

Paid-up Capital \$24,710,300.00

Reserve Funds 3,620,503.82

HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAI.

HONG KONG BRANCH: 4, Queen's Road Central.

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J. B. ROSS, Manager.

7, Queen's Road Central.

Hong Kong, 23rd Feb., 1934.

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Interest allowed on Current Accounts.

Deposits received for Fixed Periods at rates to be obtained on application.

G. KISHINAMI, Manager.

Hong Kong, 11th September, 1934.

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Authorized Capital Gldrs. 100,000,000.00

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Reserve Fund Gldrs. 25,000,000.00

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HEAD OFFICE FOR ASIA: BATAVIA.

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C. STIGTER, Manager.

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CALCUTTA and STRAITS	Suisse	3rd Oct.
MANILA	Suisse	3rd Oct.
KUWAIT via SUZ (Letters and Papers) London, 6th Sept. and Paris, 30th August—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam—Bangkok Service	Suisse	3rd Oct.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Suisse	3rd Oct.
STRAITS	Suisse	4th Oct.
MANILA	Suisse	4th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Suisse	5th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Suisse	5th Oct.
JAPAN	Suisse	5th Oct.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 15th September)	Suisse	5th Oct.
STRAITS	Suisse	5th Oct.
SAIGON	Suisse	5th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Suisse	5th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Suisse	5th Oct.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Suisse	5th Oct.
CANADA, U.S.A., HONGKONG, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C., 22nd Sept.)	Suisse	5th Oct.
U.S.A., HONGKONG, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 14th September)	Suisse	5th Oct.
STRAITS	Suisse	5th Oct.
STRAITS	Suisse	5th Oct.
STRAITS	Suisse	5th Oct.

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FOR	PER	DATE AND TIME
Hocho, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Gm. Henri Riviere	Monday, 1st 8.30 a.m.
Straits	Lycan	10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	3.00 p.m.
Fookchow	Chimera	4.30 p.m.
Amoy	Suisse	Tuesday, 2nd 8.30 a.m.
Manila, Makassar and Soerabaya	Typhoon	9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fookchow	Haiching	2.00 p.m.
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Haidis	Reg. 1.00 p.m. Ret. 1.00 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. 2.00 p.m. Ret. 2.30 p.m. 3.30 p.m.
Saigon, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Shanghai, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 24th October—and EUROPE via Siberia	Chichibu Maru	Reg. 2nd, 5.00 p.m. Ret. 2nd, 5.30 a.m.
Strait, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Philippines	Wednesday, 3rd 1.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	3.30 p.m.
Swatow	Cramer	Thursday, 4th 9.30 a.m.
Fookchow via Swatow	Hocho	1.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America, and EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C. (Parcels for Canada only)—due Vancouver, B.C., 22nd Oct.—and EUROPE via Siberia	Empress of Asia	Par. 4th, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 5th, 9.15 a.m. Let. 5th, 10.00 a.m.
Hocho, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kwangtung	Friday, 5th 1.00 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fookchow	Haidis	3.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa	Arabia Maru	Par. 5th, 3.00 p.m. Reg. 5th, 3.15 p.m. Let. 5th, 4.00 p.m.
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 19th October	Brisbane Maru	Par. 5th, 3.00 p.m. Reg. 5th, 3.15 p.m. Let. 5th, 4.00 p.m.
*Shanghai, Japan and *San Francisco—due San Francisco, 22nd October	General Lee	5.00 p.m.
*Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 24th October—and *EUROPE via Siberia	Pres. Hoover	Par. 5th, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 5th, 9.15 a.m. Let. 5th, 10.00 a.m.
Letters for "Bangkok-Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Rawalpindi	K.P.O. Reg. 5th, 5.00 p.m. Ret. 5th, 5.00 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. 5th, 5.00 p.m. Ret. 5th, 5.00 p.m. Let. 5th, 5.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, *Mauritius East and *South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 2nd November	Rawalpindi	Par. 5th, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 5th, 9.15 a.m. Let. 5th, 10.00 a.m.
Manila	Pres. Grant	Saturday, 6th 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and *EUROPE via Siberia	Portico	Monday, 8th 1.30 p.m.

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